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Canada congratulated The Ministry of Post. Telegraph and Telephone had congratulated Canadian Minister of International Trade Gerald Regan on the work done in the Kingdom by Bell Canada, which has been working with MOPPT on the massive telephone expansion program resulting in one million relephone installations in only five years. - Page 2

Indian space experts A five-member specialist team from the Indian government Department of Space has arrived on a 10-day visit to the Kingdom to discuss with Arabsat officials possible technical cooperation in satellite

communications. — Page 3 Arafat's statement Yasser Arafat was quoted Monday calling on Egypt to drop its appeal for PLO recognition of Israel. — Page 4.

Commander injured The commander of the British Army's homb disposal unit in the Falklands was seriously wounded when he stepped on an Argentine anti-personnel mine. — Page 5

Mobutu rivals form front Several Zairian opposition leaders in exile form a party in Brussels to oust the dictatorial rule of President Mobutu Sese Seko. — Page 6

Global economy World Bank President A.W. Clausen was quoted in Kuwait as predicting a global recovery in 1984 that may be tempered however by a possible recession in developing countries who "rely on commodity exports." - Page 11

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Dolphins delight The Miami Dolphins outplayed the San Diego Chargers in the American Conference, while the Dallas Cowboys nipped the Green Bay Packers' late rally in the National Conference to make the final of the AFC and NFC respectively in the

National Football League. - Page 13 Nakasone in U.S. Japanese Premier Nakasone arrives in the U.S. capital for wide-ranging talks expected to cover trade, defense and other matters.—Page 16

# OPEC rebels Libya, Iran conduct parley

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BAHRAIN, Jan. 17 (R) - Oil ministers from OPEC rebels Libya and Iran consulted Monday in Tehran as the organization prepared for crisis talks next weekend on sharing out the dwindled oil market to head off a

potential price crash. Libya's Kamel Hasan Al-Maqhour and Iranian Oil Minister Muhammad Gharazi, whose countries industry sources say are undercutting OPEC (Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries) prices, met ahead of next Sunday's conference in Geneva. Tehran radio said.

The talks came as OPEC's current president. Nigerian special presidential adviser on energy Mallam Yahaya Dikko, consulted OPEC states on the meeting, agreed by eight key oil ministers at talks over the weekend in

Iraqi Oil Minister Qassem Ahmed Taqi said Sunday Geneva meeting might be the last chance for OPEC rule-breakers to toe the line or face a possible round of coordinated price cuts by those honoring pricing and output agreements.

Gulf oil analysts said Monday talks in Tehran could be significant - Libya was said by ministers after Sunday's meeting to be taking a reasonable line on its market share. It has been producing over double its quota under a now defunct OPEC agreement of 750,000 barrels per day.

BONN. Jan. 17 (R) - Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko and West German Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher discussed problems of East-West relations during an opening round of talks in Bonn

Monday, a government statement said. They agreed to tackle the key issues of nuclear disarmament and arms control at a further meeting, it said.

Gromyko. 73, arrived in Bonn on a threeday official visit which West German leaders hope will throw light on recent proposals by the new Soviet leader Yuri Andropov to cut Moscow's armory of medium-range

weapons. Genscher said on West German radio Monday he would use his five rounds of talks. with Gromyko to assess chances of comprom-

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reduction feature The wide range of Toshiba ise in East-West arms reduction talks. He said Bonn still wanted Moscow to scrap

fran has consistently sought an increase in

its OPEC-assigned output quota to over

three million barrels daily from a now lapsed

for the higher Iranian output must come from

OPEC members. Saudi Arabia's oil minister.

Sheikh Ahmad Zaki Yamani, said here Sun-

day there was a good chance of agreeing on

The analysts said Maqhour could be urging

Iran to moderate its demands as the realiza-

tion was beginning to spread of the tremend-ous financial damage a price-cutting war

The ministers at the Geneva talks will be

trying to fit all 13 OPEC members into an

overall production ceiling of 18,5 million bar-

rels daily agreed at talks in Vienna a month

OPEC faces what some ministers have cal-

led its gravest ever crisis as price discounters

try to boost sales in a market badly hit by a

recession-led plunge in demand and rising

output by non-OPEC members, such as Mex-

Meanwhile, the energy ministry under-secretary of non-OPEC Mexico arrived in

Jeddah Monday for talks on bilateral ties with

Saudi Arabian foreign ministry officials, the

official Saudi Press Agency reported.

Tehran has said concessions to make way

level of 1,2 million.

could entail.

ico and Britain

all its estimated 600 land-based mediumrange missiles in return for shelving of NATO plans to deploy 572 similar weapons from the Kremlin negotiators at the Geneva talks

have rejected the Western plan as unrealistic. At Monday's talks. Genscher "stressed once more the federal republic's hope that there could soon be a meeting between U.S. President Reagan and General-Secretary Andropov." the government statement said.

Genscher and Chancellor Helmut Kohl said in weekend stat; ment should reduce mined to go ahead with NATO plans to station new U.S. missiles in Europe this year if Soviet-U.S. talks in Geneva fail to limit the

The 13-month-old talks are due to resume on Jan. 27 after a break in December. West Germany would take 204 of 572 Pershing-2 and Cruise missiles due for deployment in five West European countries. Moscow fears the Pershings, which would take only 10 minutes to hit Soviet territory.

could be used as a "first strike" weapon. Gromyko is expected to explain to the West Germans details of Andropov's December speech in which he proposed cutting the number of rockets to around 150. matching the force of French and British mis-

### Esmat's lawyers quit in protest

CAIRO. Jan. 17 (AFP) - Defense attornevs in the corruption trial here before an thnicscourt of Esmat Sadat, brother of late Egyptian President Anwar Sadat, said they were withdrawing from the trial because they had not been allowed to question a prosecution witness properly.

The testimony of Alexandria's former director of administrative controls Shaker Abdussalam was cut short before they could conclude cross-examination, mainly on charges that Esmat Sadat's son Galai had used the late president's name to gain concessions in the port of Alexandria. the attorneys

Defense lawyers accused the court of frequently changing members of the jury "contrary to legal procedure." and said one jury members had already "publicly announced his opinion" of the trial.

At the end of Sunday's sixth session, the court decided to name five new defense lawyers, but this was rejected by Esmat and Galal Sadat, as well as another nephew of the late president, Talaat, who said they would no longer answer the court.

## King urges shunning ostentatious spending

RIYADH, Jan. 17 (SPA) - King Fahd urged the people Monday not to squander time and money on ostentatious spending. such as setting up triumphal arches and decorations. The King said the money saved this way could be betterutilized for the welfare of the needy

In an address to the nation the King said: 'We should harness resources for our spiritual and worldly benefit and it is my fervent hope that people will shun needless manifestations of wealth in the future."

Fahd said it was a pleasure for him to visit different parts of the Kingdom to see for himself the progress attained in various fields and to get acquainted with the prevailing condi-

"I greatly appreciate your kind welcome and, no doubt, it stems from sincere hearts. This is nothing strange coming from the people of a united country fused in a single faith - the faith of Islam which has taken us out from darkness to light and has made equality the fundamental principle without any discrimination between one sex and another. Prophet Muhammad said:

"All" people are equal like the teeth of a single comb. An Arab does not hold merit over a non-Arab except by virtue of picty. All of you are from Adam and (has been created) from clay."

### India's president worried over riots

BOMBAY. Jan. 17 (AP) - President Zail Singh expressed concern over several recent cases of communal violence in India, saying "blood flows in the streets as though it is

More than 100 people have been slain recently in Muslim-Hindu rioting and arson in the cities of Meerut, Baroda, Hyderabad, Ahmedabad and Himmatnagar. Several people also have been gunned down by Sikh extremists in India's Punjab state. Singh told a meeting at Bombay's

Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan (Indian house of knowledge) that some unnamed people were "fomenting communal hatred" by misinterpreting the teachings of ancient sainst and sages in order to derive political capital.

The Akali Dal (Sikh Party) agitating for political and religious concessions in the predominantly Sikh state of Punjab. has made the historic Golden Temple at Amritsar as its agitation headquarters. Some Sikh extremists wanted in criminal cases reportedly have taken refuge in the temple since under Indian law police cannot enter a shrine.

### Italy, Greece rocked

ROME . Jan. 17 (AFP) - The powerful earthquake which shook the eastern Mediterranean Monday apparently caused no loss of life or property either in Italy or in other countries, the official reports said.

The Italian news agency Ansa broke off a 24-hour strike to report the tremor. In Athens, the Geodynamic Institute said

there were no deaths or injuries in Greece. but that some houses had been slightly damaged in the Ionian Islands of ephaloniah and Zakinthos.

The strength of the tremor was registered at 6.5 on the nine-point Richter scale.

### Joint panel formed

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# Progress claimed over pullout issue

Israeli and Lebanese negotiators set up a subcommittee that launched talks and "made good progress" Monday on ending the 35year-old state of war between Israel and Lebanon, official spokesmen announced.

This was the first apparent fruit of new pressure by the U.S. administration to quicken the pace of negotiations on removing the more than 60,000 Israeli. Syrian and Palestinian troops from this Mediterranean country.

There was no official word on what specific measures were under discussion to terminate the state of war that has legally existed since the first Arab-Israeli war in 1948 despite an armistice agreement Israel and Lebanon concluded in 1949.

But earlier reports in the Lebanese press said the termination of the date of war might take the form of a nonbelligerency declaration as part of an overall agreement on troop withdrawals, security arrangements and future relations following Israel's invasion of Lebanon last summer.

Official spokesmen for the American. Israeli and Lebanese delegations read separate but identical communiques in Arabic. English and Hebrew at the end of Monday's plenary session at a beachfront hotel in the Beirut suburb to announce the formation of the three-nation subcommittee.

American delegation spokesman Christopher Ross said in reply to a question the subcommittee "made good progress" and its discussions were "very serious and very intensive." He declined to give any details.

Israeli spokesman Avi Pazner said "good work" was done by both the subcommittee and the plenary session. He, too, refused to elaborate.

Lebanese spokesman Major Atef Tarabai refused to answer questions altogether after the joint communique was read.

Lebanese state and privately owned radio stations said before the seventh session of the talks got under way in Khalde Monday that as many as five subcommittees might be formed to program the withdrawal, work out security arragements, map out post-war relations and discuss possible guarantees for an overall agreement, in addition to the group discussing ending the state of war.

# Fahd, Hussein talks conclude

RIYADH, Jan. 17 (SPA) - King Hussein of Jordan left here Monday for Madinah on his way back home after a two-day visit to the Kingdom. He was seen off by King Fahd and cabinet ministers.

Fahd and Hussein had talks here on bilateral relations and issues of mutual interest.

The talks are believed to have centered on a proposed Palestinian-Jordanian confederation. A Palestinian-Jordanian confederation is the principal concept in current attempts to find a solution to the Arab-Israeli conflict.

Prince Saud Monday met separately with Badran for talks on questions of mutual con-

### A cup that cheers and T

LONDON, Jan. 17 (AP) - "It's 6.30 a.m. It's Monday, January 17, 1983. You are watching Britain's first ever regular early-morning television program and a very good morning to you all."

Those were the words with which veteran sports broadcaster Frank Bough greeted viewers then breakfast television came to Britain Monday.

Up to now, early daytime television in Britain has consisted mostly of thinly-watched ducational programs and test patterns. So the advent of morning shows aimed at audiences something familiar to Americans for three decades — was revolutionary.

Both the publicly British Balladeasung Corp. and the rival commercial network. Independent Television, are hoping to woo audiences from Britain's popular morning radio.

The BBC was first off the mark Monday with its "Breakfast Time." an informal but informative potpourti of news, opinion, sports, weather reports and features beginning at 6:30 a.m. and running until 9 a.m. Commercial television's breakfast shows, featuring big-name stars David Frost and

Michael Parkinson — Britain's equivalent to Johnny Carson — come on the air Feb. 1. To kick off "Breakfast Time." the BBC brought in Jane Pauley of NBC's "Today." the grandlady of American breakfast TV programs, for a guest appearance to explain how it all

Co-hosts were Bough. Selina Scott, formerly one of ITV's most popular news anchors who became a pin-up for British troops during the Falkland war and the lesser-known Nick Ross. The program, also broadcast "live" in the Netherlands, was preceded by a still photograph of the sun rising gently over the River Thames in the heart of London.

To help commuters keep a check on the time, a blue and white clock was positioned

permanently at the bottom right hand corner of the screen. Viewers were invited to call in with their views of the show and after less than an hour, said Bough, all lines were jammed.

### 47 killed in Turkish air crash

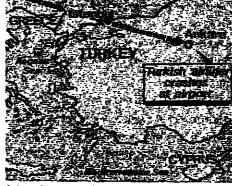
ANKARA, Jan. 17 (R) - Forty-seven people were killed and 21 injured when a Turkish airlines Boeing 727 carrying 68 passengers and crew crashed as it attempted to land in foul weather at Ankara Airport, Prime Minister Bulend Ulusu said Monday.

After helping direct rescue operations at the scene of the crash Sunday night, Ulusu told reporters one person was still missing. Turkish press reports said many of the injured were critically ill. The airliner, which eyewitnesses said exploded and caught fire on impact, was on a flight from Istanbul.

The semi-official Anatolian News Agency said the plane was carrying 21 transit passengers on connecting flights from Paris, Copenhagen and Munich. It was not clear whether the doomed plane was the same as that which flew from Paris to Istanbul earlier

Gusty winds and thick sleet were blowing over Esenboga Airport, some 30 kilometers north of the capital, when the plane came into land. Eyewitnesses told reporters the airliner hit the ground well short of the runway careered into an obstacle and broke into three pieces as it slewed onto the tarmac.

They said the middle section exploded and burst into flames and many of the dead and



Earlier, two Turkish airline planes collided at Ankara Airport Sunday just 10 hours before the Turkish airline jet crashed.

There were no casualties in the collision. It occurred when a Boeing 727 hit a DC-10 that was being refueled, tearing off its engine.

Officials said the Boeing narrowly missed the DC-10's fuel tanks, averting an explosion that could have caused a large number of casualties. The DC-10, which was bound for Jeddah, had 150 passengers aboard.

### S.-European relations Western currency to buy arms. The Europeans replied the hardships the

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17 (AP) - U.S. President Ronald Reagan came to office two years ago promising to restore the allies' confidence and trust in U.S. leadership, which he said had "failen to an all-time low" under former President Jimmy Carter. But at the midpoint of his term. Reagan is having difficulty delivering on

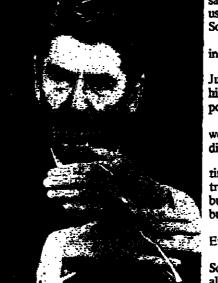
his pledge to return the alliance to "unity of purpose and mutual respect." thanks to a series of misunderstandings and disagreements over trade with the Soviet Union, arms control and U.S. economic policy. A well-placed British diplomat here complained several weeks ago. on

the condition he remain anonymous, that Reagan's relations with Europe were even more chaotic than Carter's. French Foreign Minister Claude Cheysson said at one point the relationship had deteriorated to a state of progressive divorce.

Cheysson later conceded he was overstating the case. But there is no disguising European unhappiness over U.S. policies as Reagan sends U.S. Vice President George Bush to Europe on Jan. 30 for a round of consultations with the allies. The Bush trip is aimed primarily at achieving a unified stand on arms control and defusing the noisy anti-nuclear movement in Western Europe.

No foreign policy venture earned Reagan more vigorous opposition in Europe than his decision to impose sanctions against European firms that supplied equipment and technology for the Soviet natural gas pipeline.

Reagan argued the assistance made it easier for the Soviets to obtain hard



President Reagan

sanctions would impose on their already depressed economies wasn't worth using an economic weapon of dubious value to help Reagan achieve anti-Soviet political aims. "It was a big mistake from the beginning." the British diplomat said in an

interview after Reagan lifted the sanctions mid-November.

Contributing to the impression of U.S. disarray was the resignation in June of Reagan's first secretary of state. Alexander M. Haig Jr., who is highly regarded in Europe. Haig accused Reagan of an inconsistent foreign

The image abroad of a faltering Reagan foreign policy was reinforced last week when Eugene V. Rostow, director of the U.S. arms control and disarmament agency, resigned under fire from Reagan.

Other problems with the allies arise from his administration's unremitting hostility toward the Soviet Union and other Marxist states. Also troublesome are high worldwide interest rates, which the Europeans attribute to Reagan's anti-inflation economic policies, complaining they contri-

bute to recession and high unemployment throughout Europe. "I think probably we have done rather badly." says Joyce Shub. a European expert at the American Enterprise Institute.

"The key factor is how do you accommodate different perceptions of the Soviet Union." she said, adding Reagan's demand for complete unity in alliance dealings with the Soviets was acceptable in the 1950s but is "totally irrelevant to the 1980s."

advanced, it satisfied all needs TOSHIBA AFTER - SALES SERVICE GUARANTEED BY **M** Arabian **Business Machine Co** 

## Regan congratulated on Bell Canada work here

of International Trade Gerald Regan was congratulated by the Ministry of Post. Telegraph and Telephone on the work done in the Kingdom by Bell Canada, one of the world's leading telecommunications companies.

According to a spokesman for the ministry. Bell has been working on the massive telephone expansion program, which in only five years has brought one million telephone lines to the Kingdom.

During his recent tour of the Saudi Telephone city in Riyadh. Regan was invited to a conference chaired by Fahd Al-Basri. Riyadh district manager, and attended by Muhammad Ibrahim Sadik, central district manager. and Muhammad Ayada. assistant manager for Riyadh district.

The Saudi Arabian delegation noted the close and friendly cooperation achieved by Bell Canada, and expressed their satisfaction

### Yemen earthquake relief donations total SR18 million in December

RIYADH, Jan. 17 - The Saudi National Committee has collected SR18 million for the earthquake victims in Dhamar region of North Yemen.

The committee met here Monday under Prince Salman, governor of Riyadh to review new donations and other aid for the victims thousands of whom were either killed or wounded in the quake, the worst in the country's history.

Meanwhile Canada has announced further donations of earthquake relief.

### **Manuel Sassot** assigned new post in Spain

By Suresh Shah Arab News Staff

JEDDAH, Jan. 17 - Spanish Ambassador to Saudi Arabia Manuel Sassot has . been appointed Director General for Africa and Asia at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Madrid, according to Spanish Embassy Counsellor Pablo Bravo.

He told Arab News, in this new position Sassot will be responsible for Middle East

### National industries symposium opens

DAMMAM. Jan. 17 (SPA) - The third symposium on national industries was opened here Monday. The three-day symposium is organized by the Eastern Province Chamber of Commerce in collaboration with the Arabian-American Oil Company (ARAMCO).

The symposium started with a speech by Saad Al-Maagil, chairman of the chambers who explained its objectives which fall in line with the others held in The Hague. Netherlands and in Houston, U.S.A.

One of the main objectives, he said, is to bridge the gap between the businessmen in the area and Aramco and its subsidiaries. "That is why." Maagil said. "we thought the

### UNDP representatives meet Saturday in Riyadh

RIYADH. Jan. 17 (SPA) — Resident representatives of the U.N. Development Program in the Arab states will meet here on Saturday to discuss the program's activities and projects.

They will also review an international

Maagil added that industry is now one of the main objectives of the government, which is giving the private sector all kinds of help to consolidate the industrial base.

Regan in turn made a statement that Bell

was the "flagship" of Canadian trade rela-

tions, and said that he was very pleased to

hear that the Kingdom was satisfied with

One of the highlights of Regan's tour was a

visit to the ultra-modern national network

control center where skilled Saudi Arabian

operators control the status of the entire

pieces of technology of its type in the world -

a 30-meter panel of curving glass with lighted indicators and maps can tell the operators at a

glance the condition of the nation's space-age

telecommunications system. The national

network control center was designed and

built in Canada by Bell Canada especially for

Deputy Prime Minister and Secretary of

State for External Affairs of Canada Allan J.

Macheachen Monday announced that his

country will provide a further \$400,000

(SR1.132.000) as emergency assistance to

the victims, according to a spokesman of the Canadian embassy in Jeddah.

donation of \$175.000 (SR500.000). The

funds will be used for the purchase and trans-

portation of over 2.800 tents to provide shel-

ter to the victims from winter cold, the

spokesman added.

The donation is in addition to an earlier

The network is one of the most advanced

Canadian performance.

Saudi Telephone network.

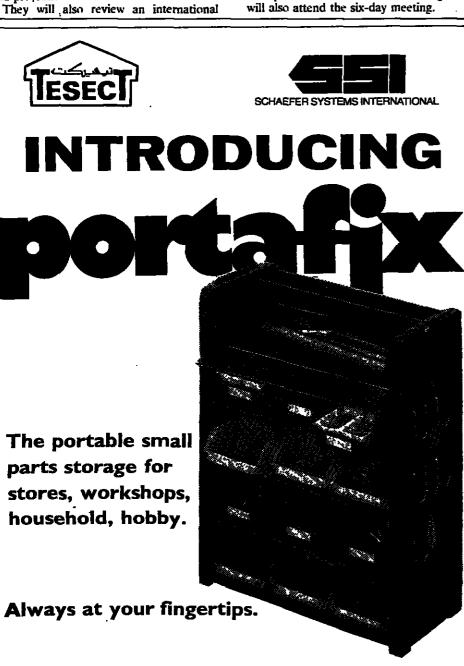
"Such base." Maagil added. "will help diversify the Kingdom's sources of income and make it-less vulnerable to external pressures and withstand attempts to dump the Saudi Arabian market with foreign com-

modities especially in the current recession. He was followed by Dr. Fouad Al-Farsi. deputy minister of Industry and Electricity. who lauded the chamber's role in organizing this symposium. Farsi affirmed the government's role in supporting the national industry and praised Saudi Arabian businessmen contribute to the reconstruction of the

### drinking water contract and several health and administrative affairs relating to the

country to transform hope into reality.

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### Saudi telephone modernization goes on

# PTT plans computerized bill collection

By K.S. Ramkumar Arab News Staff

JEDDAH. Jan. 17 - Soon. the Ministry of Post. Telegraph and Telephone will streamline its telephone bill collections in even the remotest corners of the Kingdom at one central place and the Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency will be able to centralize its check processing system.

These will be possible due to the introduction of the latest computerized systems of the NCR Corporation and its local agents Zahid Industries and Investments Company Ltd. who are already "very strong" in the banking

### Kingdom's first filter plant providing clean air to be commissioned soon

RIYADH. Jan. 17 - The Kingdom's first filter plant to provide clean air will open soon, according to the latest issue of Saudi Business. The plant will go into production by late 1983 or early 1984.

Manufacture of a complete range of filters to suit the needs of pure air for man and machine in the Kingdom has been announced by a new company. Saudi Filters Ltd. The first year's production may be more than 100,000 units.

The company is a joint venture of Al-Bawardy Trading and Contracting Est.. Trans Saudi Est.. Jabal Raaf Est. with AAF-International BV of Amsterdam, the Nether-

Abdul Aziz Al-Bawardy. chairman of Al-Bawardy Trading and Contracting Est.. said that the manufacturing facility the company is establishing is the next local step in its long association with AAF.

They have successfully solved some of the air filtration problems particular to the Kingdom and it is our intention to make everyone aware of the dangers to health as well as the extra cost that unfiltered or inefficiently filtered air causes to the nation." Bawardy said.

He said the Kingdom's rapid pace of construction and industrialization has multiplied and magnified the problem of dust and humidity with industrial gases and fumes. But, he said "We will be manufacturing a range of self-cleaning filters which will remove 95 percent of the air-borne dust to meet the situation.' Bawardy especially mentioned five areas

where clean air is a must and dust is a hazard: hospitals and clinics. electric power generating units. communications installations. laboratories and factories, hotels and closed sports arenas.

Hospitals, especially in operating theaters. intensive care units and burn centers require

100 percent dust and bacteria-free air. We can manufacture very efficient filters that the technician who changes these filters has to wear protective clothing to guard against the accumulated bacteria." Bawardy

There are special filters for gas turbines as these can be damaged even by a small amount of dust, humidity and salt. The electric utilities have been using AAF self-cleaning filtration systems for several years to protect gas turbines and diesel engines from abrasive dust and corrosive salt.

Special high efficiency filters are designed to eliminate toxic gases and fumes from laboratories and factories so that the personnel will not be affected by them. There are also filtration systems to remove dust and smoke and recondition the air for closed

Some of the noxious vapors that are removed by filters are cigarette and cooking smoke from the hotel rooms, jet exhaust from air terminals and sewage gases from sewage treatment plants.

It is not just the protection of people and machinery that is the concern of Saudi Filters. but the prevention of air pollution as well. Bawardy emphasized.

### Seminar highlights autoline package

By a Staff Writer JEDDAH, Jan. 17 - The autoline package developed by the Kerridge Computer Company (KCC) for the motor trade was highlighted Monday in a seminar hosted by the Riyadh House Establishment (RHE) in collaboration with the Sigma-Kerridge Computer Services Division of the Saudi Investment Group & Marketing Company.

KCC Chairman John Benett, RHE President A.A. Al-Jeraisy, besides Rodney Wilson and Wesley Edvards of KCC, and Abdul Lateef Jameel and Sibi who have already gone in for the software package and Wang equipment, were among those taking part in the seminar. Kemal Llahamy. Sigma's group financial

controller, said the Sigma-Kerridge have been jointly serving the Kindgom in order to provide the consumers with the complete range of the autoline system developed by KCC and run on Wang equipment.
In his opening remarks, RHE Computer

Division General Manager Akbar Ahmad said the KCC personnel have been installing and using computers in the British motor trade since 1973 and the main reason for their success is the unique blend of motor trade and computer expertise employed at all levels in the company.

The autoline system caters to all sizes of businesses and has been designed to cover every asp t of garage operation and meet the needs of all types of motor trade.

The system consists of a number of modules, including general accounts consisting of payroll, sales and purchase ledgers with analysis and nominal ledger: management accounts; car stockbook and vehicle ledger package; service records; stock control system: parts invoicing; and workshop system. The entire system is integrated but these modules can be installed separately.

The seminar followed the two-day "six technology show" by the Al Jeraisy-Wang hosted by RHE at the Hyatt Regency Hotel-

German official due RIYADH, (SPA) — West German Posts and Telecommunications Minister Dr. Chris-

tian Harz Shelling will arrive here Tuesday for a three-day visit to Saudi Arabia. During his stay, he will have talks with Posts, Telegraph and Telephones Minister Dr. Alawi Darwish Kayyal on fostering bilateral cooperation in communications. The West German minister will also confer with other Saudi Arabian leaders on developing bilateral relations and matters of mutual interest.

Ansi leaves Kingdom RIYADH, (SPA) — Engineer Ahmad Al-Ansi, the communication and transport minister in North Yemen left here Monday after a four-day visit during which he attended the signing of the \$35 million with a Japanese firm for the construction of the network to control the Arab satellite. Ansi,

airport by Posts, Telephone and Telegram Minister Dr. Alwi Darwish Kayyal and a number of senior officials at the ministry.

Syrian official departs

MANAMA, (SPA) — Syrian Deputy
Premier and Foreign Affairs Minister Abdel Halim Khaddam arrived here Monday from Saudi Arabia after delivering a message to King Fahd from President Hafez Al-Assad. During his one-day stay, he will deliver a similar message from the Syrian president to Bahraini ruler Sheikh Isa ibn Salman Al-

Khalifa. Water contract

RIYADH, (SPA) — Agriculture and
Water Resources Vinister Dr. Abdul Rahman Al-Sheikh Monday signed an SR78 mil-lion contract with a specialized company to provide water pipes for a gigantic water pro-ject in the Sedir Region. On completion within 13 months, the project will supply sector through their financial terminals and in the retail market sector through their retail

NCR General Manager Roger Lintern told that the Cash Register 2126, for instance, is the latest in NCR terminals, which is increasingly catching on among stores and

The corporation's computerized total property management systems for hotels are also getting popular with hotel establishments. The systems handle all transactions like check-in, check-out, room service, telephone bills and all other services that concern the customers. Lintern said adding: "We have 90 percent of the hotel market in this

He said in view of the increasing demand from the growing Saudi Arabian market. a new program to expand the corporation's range of computer products is being introduced with a view to promoting business in the Kingdom.

The program operates under the Independent Marketing Organization (IMO) from its head office based here, which is headed by Peter Recordon.

Plans are underway. Lintern said. to appoint selected and specialized distributors for the software products of the \$3 billion corporation which is known by the abbreviations of the old company - National Cash Register Co.

The move toward personal computers and office automation has necessitated a different approach to marketing and distribution in this fast developing market. Lintern, said and added that as one of the leading suppliers of mini and mainframe computers in the Kingdom, it is continuously looking toward expanding its business into new markets and the introduction of its IMO program is an example of plans for "this important mar-

NCR, the second largest computer manufacturer in the Kingdom, currently has three main marketing and support centers in the Kingdom with the head office in Jeddah and a number of remote offices providing technical support, he said.

Lintern said the strategy of NCR. founded in 1884 by John H. Patterson in Dayton. Ohio, to manufacture and serve the new business control device called the "cash register," is to meet the information management needs of selected worldwide markets. These needs are primarily met with products distinguished by innovative applications of digital electronic and software technologies and with supporting services.

The company today develops, manufactures, markets, installs, and services business information processing systems for selected worldwide markets. These markets are primarily in the retail, financial, commercial. industrial, health care, education and government sectors....

Computer systems, terminal systems; covering retail and financial sectors (the former covering major market areas and the latter banks, savings and thrift institutions. and credit unions), office automation equipment for word processing and office automation applications, software, system media products and services. Comten products and services. ADDS products and services. micro-electronics products and services and field and systems engineering are some of the special features of the NCR. Lintern said.

Talking about its products. Recordon, manager, IMO, said the NCR 2117 general purpose electronic cash register, for instance. offers a host of electronic features and automatic functions to promote accuracy, simplify point-of-sale procedures, and provide management with vital sales and financial data. Another product. NCR Worksaver sys-

tems, has been designed with only one thing in mind—increasing productivity. Recordon said. The worksaver helps streamline the standard office procedures by eliminating repetitive and redundant tasks. "And. as your requirements expand, your Worksaver System can grow with you — easily and economically." he added, The systems consist of a family of intelligent, display-based. multi-function workstations.

Recordon said the NCR is also conducting a computer science institute for customers and support education here. The education division of NCR is a member of the Computer Science Institute. a worldwide NCR organization whose objective is to maintain





### **AGFUND** stresses Gulf's 3rd World role KUWAIT. Jan. 17 (SPA) - Prince Talal

ibn- Abdul Aziz, honorary assistant secretary-general of UNICEF and chairman of the Arab Program for the United Nations Development Organization (AGFUND) inaugurated the seventh AGFUND meeting here Monday. Opening the session. Prince Talal stressed the Arab Gulf leaders' sincere desire to help

the Third World peoples and solve their development and human problems. He also highlighted achievements realized

by the program since it was set up in 1981. Earlier Monday. Prince Talal met with the emir of Kuwait Jaber Al-Ahmed Al-Sabah and briefed him on the program's activities.

On arriving here. Sunday night, Prince Talal told reporters the meeting would discuss and endorse a number of Hevelopment and human projects to be implemented through the U.N. in Third World countries. -Replying to a question on aid extended by the program to children and mothers in

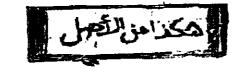
Lebanon and the occupied West Bank of Jordan. Prince Talal said Saudi Arabia had extended \$6 million aid to UNICEF for the benefit of Lebanon while \$28 million were contributed by Lebanon itself.

### Faisal Islamic bank board discusses final accounts, budget

JEDDAH. Jan. 17 - Members of the board of directors of Faisal Islamic bank continued meetings Sunday night with Prince Muhammed Al-Faisal as chairman, Al-Madinah reported Monday. The board examined the final accounts of the general budget and those of the past fiscal year in order to make its recommendations to the general assembly to be held in March in Khartoum.

The board members also discussed increasing the bank's shares. Director General Al-Baqir Yusuf Madwi said that the founding committee of the bank had approved the final list of founders and their shares of 2 percent each of the total capital of \$200 million. He said that Feb. 28 was fixed as the last date for paying the first instalment of the shares. Members, he said, fixed one dollar for the price of each share. Madwi explained that the minimum amount being paid by members is \$100.000 and the maximum is \$500.000.





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committee of the Higher International

Council for Mosques is discussing issues on

Muslim World League Secretary Gen-

eral Muhammad Safawat Al-Saqqa said

that the committee reviewed the applica-

tion of the Islamic Sharia in judicial affairs

It also discussed means of combating

misinterpretation of Islamic publications

by some groups, he added. Saqqa said the

committee also reviewed malicious opera-

tions of buying Muslim children from

Africa and Indonesia with the aim of con-

verting them into Christianity and ways to

of the Islamic countries.

stop such secret dealings.

Indian team on a ten-day visit

# llite experts discuss cooperation

Arab News Staff

JEDDAH. Jan. 17 — A specialist team from the Indian government Department of Space has arrived in Jeddah on a ten-day visit of the Kingdom to discuss with Arabsat officials possible technical cooperation in satellite communications

The five-member team, headed by Space Application Center's Communication Area Chairman O.P.N. Calla arrived at the invitation of Arabsat officials. They are now in

Other members of the delegation are Bharat Electronics Limited General Manager P.K. Venkatasubramanian as deputy ader: V. Ramaiah; Subhash Gupta and K.S. Mohanaveln, all scientists from the Space Application Center and Indian Space

The specializations of the team members cover the areas in which assistance and coopcration has been indicated by Arabsat. These areas include S-band TV Receive Only Terminal (TVRP). design. interface. and cost analysis for manufacturing plants; transmission planning; systems engineering and operations. Also included are inter-satellite systems, frequency coordination and man-

Cooperation between the Indian government's Department of Space and Arabsat is in addition to cooperation which has already started between Arabsat and Telecommunications Consultants India Limited. a government-owned undertaking dealing in telecommunications, which has already decided to send three of its technical experts

### Six-month security course organized by the Institute of Criminal Evidence

RIYADH, Jan. 17 (SPA) - A course on criminal matters is to be organized here by the Institute of Criminal Evidence and Public Security at the end of this month. The course, which will last for six months will be allocated for those holding intermediate certificates who are to graduate as sergeants at the end of the seminar.

Speaking about the course, the Director of Public Security Lt.-Gen. Abdullah Al-Sheikh said that holding such seminars comes within the comprehensive development plan being pursued by the Public Security. Department to find suitable national elements to undertake technical works in the field of criminal matters.

He stressed the state's concern to develop the educational and technical standard of security men and its eagerness to modernize technical equipment under use with the goal of promoting security services and their extension to all parts of the Kingdom.

### SR67.2m Hail projects include asphalting, lighting, artificial lake

Teacher transfer to non-educational

jobs must follow ministry rules

RIYADH. Jan. 17 - Practices by some-

educational departments of transferring

teachers to administrative posts without the

consent of concerned authorities in the Edu-

cational Ministry and the General Directo-

rate of Civil Service was described as "irregu-

lar" by the Minister of Education Dr. Abdul

Khuwaiter told Al - Jazirah the regulations

governing educational posts include con-

ditions and rules which should be followed

when any employee in an educational post is

HAIL Jan. 17 (SPA) — The number of

schools here now numbers 98. out of which

there are 79 preliminary schools, 16 inter-

mediate schools and three senior schools.

There are also a girls intermediate college.

two teacher training and 75 illiteracy centers. according to Ahmad Hamad Al-Fagih, the

director of education who added that these

schools are distributed in various villages in

the area and there are 11.189 students enrol-

Fagih said there is self-sufficiency in

Fagih added that this year 60 students were

accepted for the gris education college, which

will next year open new branches in sciences

and home sciences in general. This year, the

administration will organize training sessions

for the teachers on modern ways of teaching.

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HAIL. Jan. 17 (SPA) - Within the coming 12 to 18 months a number of development projects are going to be carried out here at a cost of SR67.2 million. Al -Riyada reported. Projects include asphalting the second lane of the 7-kilometer Airport Street and some feeder streets which will also be lighted.

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A national company has been awarded the contract to execute the second phase of an artificial lake at a cost of SR11.5 million and

within 12 months. The first part of the project will be completed next week and is built on 1.12 million square meters. 1.000-meterlong. 80-meter width and a depth of 14 meters. The project, which is the first of its kind in the Kingdom, has so far cost SR18.4

The second stage, to expand the garbage plant has been awarded to a national company at a SR9.3 million cost to be carried out in 14 months.

NEW SHOWROOM: This new 'Expo 80' showroom in Riyadh's Al-Mutamarat area offers medium to high-class furniture and

transferred to a non-educational post in

accordance with Article Seven. Paragraph

(B) of the regulations governing educational

"Those governed by rules of these reg-

ulations can not be transferred to non-

educational posts unless they spend at least

six continuous years in the educational post.

Equally they can not be entrusted with

Exception is provided for educational

authorities who can transfer their teachers to

non-educational posts for inability or for dis-

ciplinary or health reasons without adher-

In all cases. Khuwaiter said, transfer is

effected in accordance with the rules under

which the grade and salary of the official will

be revised and determined through proper

procedures by the General Directorate of

Civil Service while taking into consideration

the stipulations of Article 10/5 of executory

The minister called on educational

authorities to strictly observe the contents

and held the Director of Education and Head

of personnel section responsible for any voi-

JEDDAH Jan. 17 - The Jeddah refinery

board of directors met here Sunday under the

chairmanship of Dr. Abdul Hadi Taher.

Al-Madinah reported. The meeting discus-

sed next year's budget, operations and last

year performance in refining, export and

developing the Saudi Arabian staff. During

rules of the Civil Service Regulations.

activities other than educational."

posts which stipulates:

ence here to time-limit.

Calla told Arab News that Indian space efforts have centered around the main objectives of long distance telecommunications. diffusion of TV signals using satellites. remote sensing of natural and renewable earth resources and meteorological parameters from satellites.

To realize these objectives, the activities of the Indian Space Research Organization (ISRO) are oriented predominantly toward design and development of application satellites for communications, remote sensing. television broadcasting and meteorology; design and development of rocket launch vehicles to place these applications satellites into the required orbits; and establishment of ground stations/facilities for using these satelites, and for launching.

He said ISRO Satellite Center at Banglore conducts research and development information in satellite technology and it has designed and fabricated the first Indian satellites. Aryabhata, as also Bhaskara-l & II. Rohini



(Sendi Press Agency Photo)

MOSQUE COUNCIL: Islamic goals and support for Arab causes are being discussed in Makkah by the Higher International Council for Mosques. Shown here Prince Saud ibn Abdul Mohsin, deputy governor of Makkah is flauked by, left, Sheikh Abdul Aziz ibn Baz and on the right, Muhammad Al-Harkan, who opened the sessions on behalf of King Fahd.

### Riyadh 'Expo 80' showroom offers 'rare' home decorations

By Omar Basaddiq Rivadh Bureau

RIYADH Jan. 17 - From small beginnings. Expo 80 — the elitist furniture establishment - has now moved to bigger, more spacious premises in Riyadh's posh Al-Mutamarat area. For the connoiseurs of furniture, art and artifacts. Expo 80 is among the few places in the capital which go a long way in catering for their needs.

Expo 80 stocks medium to high-class furniture and other items of interior decoration. some of which are, in the words of Sales Manager Maurice Saad. "rare items."

Among the exotic items are pictures mostly land-scapes — made from crushed precious stones. such as malagit. lapis lazuli. tiger's eye and others, with gilded frames. These "pictures" come in various sizes and the price tag on one of the large ones (about 2x3 feet) is about SR24.000.

(Photograph by Omar Basaddiq)

Dr. Abdal Aziz Al-Khuwaiter

MADINAH. Jan. 17 (SPA) - The pen-

sions and social security office here has decided to give 1,542 persons SR9.14 mil-

lion. The office to help 1.958 persons who will receive SR15.5 million.

Office Director Abdul Aziz Jiblwi said that

a committee has surveyed the villages and

nearby places to a decide needy cases. The

committee will soon tour Hasswi. Hanakia

the meeting company activities in new fields

The refinery. Dr. Taher added. has

reached its utmost capacity and there are

expansion programs for the other refineries

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Assistance decisions

which is mounted the Holy Ouran opened in the middle and showing the verses printed in the two pages. The whole thing is gilded with high-carat gold.

Of the several original paintings one of the most captivating is that they famous Spanish surrealist, who now lives in France, Salvador Dali. The piece is called "Homage to Lincoln" and shows the Abraham Lincoln "statue" with the arm of the American president extended and the hand dispro-

Another original is a portrait made by Rixen in 1886, the gilded frame around it is studded with inter-twined Arabic inscriptions. Though, as Maurice Saad put it. "art cannot be valued", the price tag on this one is SR75.000.

There are several antique cabinets and chest of drawers at Expo 80, including one made in Britain during the reign of King George III in the Seventeenth century and which took two years to make - by hand. Other antiques in this category are of French and Spanish origin.

Several props for enhancing decor include: lampshades made of tortoise shell and others having the Cleopatra figurine as a base center-tables whose tops are resting on copper-cast elephants; models of Roman colonnades made from sandstone; sculptures of a "Sea Horse King" constructed from sea shells. This interpretation of a mythological steed is enhanced by a weathered finish suggestive of time-worn stone.

Expo 80 is divided into two main departments: the "projects department" and the sales department.

Saad told Arab N to make contacts with Saudi Arabian artists, and we are thinking of setting up an exclusive section of art for art's sake, and not the commercialese type." adding. "We will also provide some incentives for Saudi Arabian

### Postal services consolidated in E. Province

DAMMAM. Jan. 17 (SPA) — The Ministry of Post. Telephone and Telegraph is carrying out a plan here to consolidate postal services in the Eastern Province. Recently a number of post offices and branches were opened in five nearby villages. More offices will be opened this year in Hofouf. Ahsa. Mubaraz and Oyoon. The number of employees now has reached 1.400 serving 31 centers. 15 offices and 24 branches in the region.

The province now has 24.083 post offices and subscribers have been invited to apply for the 1.500 boxes in Seihat. 1.250 in Safwa and 1.300 in Oatif.

Letters coming from abroad through the central office numbered 3.6 million in one month, while the outgoing letters in the same period were 3.7 million. Letters coming from inside the Kingdom in the same period numbered 4.2 million, while those sent to other parts of the Kingdom through the Central Post Office numbered 4.4 million.

### Chamber makes proposals

RIYADH. Jan. 17 - The Chamber of Commerce in Riyadh has approached the Ministry of Commerce with a proposal to establish a national company for cleaning towns. Al -Jazirah reported Monday.

The company proposed a joint stock one opening its doors for all citizens to buy shares and it is to be floated only after its economic viability is assured.

Meanwhile, the Chamber of Commerce in Dammam has submitted an application to the Ministry of Commerce to establish a joint stock company to maintain and run airports in the Kingdom.

# Solidarity talks precede OIC

deliberations

DAKAR, Jan. 17 (SPA) - Information Minister Dr. Muhammad Abdo Yamani is visiting Senegal to participate in the deliberations of the permanent cultural and information committee of the Organization of the Islamic Conference meeting here.

During the meeting bilateral relations between the Kingdom and Senegal were discussed and methods to consolidate the information cooperation between the two countries suggested. Dr. Yamani later paid a visit to the headquarters of the Senegalese radio and



Dr. Muhammad Abdo Yamani

### Saudia plans S. Province service improvements

JEDDAHL Jan. 17 (SPA) - The Saudi Arabian national airline (Saudia) is studying plans to improve its services for the Southern

Province. Al - Jazirah reported. During a meeting headed by Ibrahim Al-Digatthir. assistant director-general for

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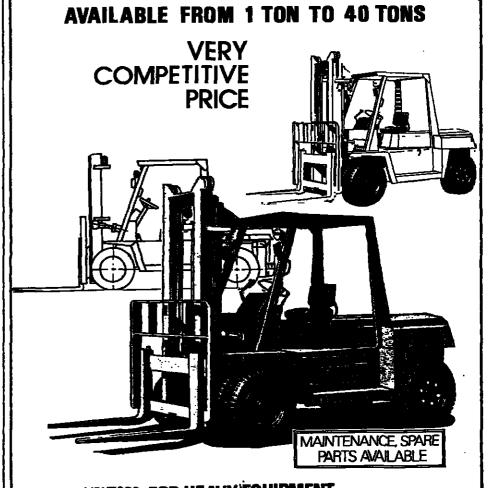
domestic affairs and Saudi directors in Riyadh. Taif and Jeddah. a plan giving a bigger role for the tourist offices in the Southern Province with the help of Saudia was discus-

# **Prayer Times**

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# Call to recognize Israel angers Arafat

CAIRO. Jan. 17 (R) - Palestine Liberation Organization leader Yasser Arafat was quoted Monday calling on Egypt to drop its appeal for PLO recognition of Israel.

The weekly Al-Ahram Intimali said he told it in an interview: "I appeal to President (Hosni) Mubarak not to embarrass me by asking me to unilaterally recognize Israel."

Since the withdrawal of PLO fighters from Beirut last August. Egypt has repeatedly asked the PLO to recognize Israel as the only way to start a United States-PLO dialogue. Arafat said he deserved not to be asked to recognize Israel because he did not demand

that Egypt abandon its peace agreements with Israel, the publication reported. "Whoever is asking Egypt to abolish its Camp David accords with Israel is actually seeking another catastrophe for the Arab

world...That is not what we want from Mubarak. Arafat said. Arafat said he wanted Egypt to issue a declaration explicitly stating the PLO was the Palestinian people's sole representative and supporting the right to establish a Palestinian

state Al -Ahram Iktisadi continued. "Immediately after such a declaration is made. I will put my hand in his (Mubarak's) to walk together until we have used up all the offered paths for a peaceful settlement." he

### Israelis bar U.K. teachers' entry

TEL AVIV. Jan. 17 (AFP) — Five British teachers at the university college in the Palestinian town of Hebron were prevented from going on campus and giving their lectures by the Israeli Army Monday, according to a Palestinian source.

For the second consecutive day the Israeli Army has cordoned off the campus and screened the coming and going of all stu-

On Sunday, the army used tear gas and fired into the air to break up a demonstration of students protesting about the arrest of 50 fellow students last Thursday.

At Nablus, in the northern occupied territories, army road blocks were in position at entrances to Al Najar University Monday for the eight day running. Only students from Nablus itself were allowed to attend lectures. The army also raided the homes of the former and present presidents of the university's student committee.

Meanwhile, the Israeli ministerial committee on Jewish settlements in the occupied West Bank has approved creation of four new settlements south of Hebron, the committee's spokesman said.

One of the settlements will be consigned to the annexationist movement, Gush Emunim, and the others will be run by "cooperative movements from the Israeli side of the 1967 border, Science and Development Minister Yuval Neeman, president of the committee,

### Afghanistan official defects to Pakistan

ISLAMABAD. Jan. 17 (Agencies) — A major-general from Afghan Army medical corps has defected to Pakistan. Radio Pakistan reported. The radio Sunday identified the general as Naik Muhammad Azizi and said he was a doctor but gave no further details.

Two Afghan Army brigadiers and two senior secret police officials also defected to Pakistan declaring sympathy with Mujahideen fighting government and Soviet troops in their country.

Radio Kabul reported Petrol rationing has been instituted in the Afghan capital.

Earlier this week resistance sources said that Soviet troops had been selling army petrol on the black market and making huge

Meanwhile, the pro-resistance Islamic News Agency (INA) reported that eight Russians were killed and 10 wounded on the night of Jan. 9 during a mortar attack against Microrayon, an eastern Kabul district reserved for Russians and Communist Party

INA said that resistance fighters fired about 20 shells at three buildings in the area. badly damaging them. Also mortared was a government minibus depot, where eight vehicles were destroyed.

Western diplomats based in Kabul reported last week that there had been explosions in the Microrayon district on the night of Jan. 4 without specifying their cause.

MOSCOW (AP) - Muhammad Ibrahim Al-Shayer, the special representative of the Palestine Liberation Organization to the Soviet Union, has died after "a grave illness," Tass reported Monday.

NICOSIA (AP) — Iran said its forces shot down three Iraqi war planes Sunday during Iraqi raids on Iranian targets in the southern sector of the battlefront between the two countries.

BAHRAIN (R) - Oman's Minister of State for Foreign Affairs Youssef Al-Alawi left for Vienna Monday on a four-day official visit to Austria, the Gulf News Agency said.

BEIRUT (AFP) — Bulldozers clearing the badly bombed old Beirut commercial center have uncovered Roman ruins and the remains of a 12th-century souk. Teams began clearing the zone, heavily hit in eight years of

war. Saturday. DOHA (R) - Tunisian Foreign Minister Beji Caid Essebsi said the United States would lose its credibility if it did not get Israeli troops to withdraw from Lebanon. He told a news conference before leaving Qatar for Kuwait that American credibility had been hanging in the balance in Lebanon since Washington committed itself to securing an

Israeli withdrawal. DHAKA (AP) - More than one million Muslims including 15,000 representatives from 50 countries have gathered at Tongiw. 19 kilometers south of here, for the "bisshaw ejtema" (world Muslim congregation). The three-day congregation concludes Monday with special prayers for world peace and international brotherhood.

In apparent criticism of Syria. the PLO chairman said some Arab regimes were trying to split the ranks of his organization by inhibiting its diplomatic and political coordination with Egypt and Jordan.

The Syrian government and pro-Syrian Palestinian factions have repeatedly condemned recent PLO-Jordanian talks on future joint peace strategy and the steady improvement of Egyptian-PLO relations.

Meanwhile five Palestinian groups have declared in Tripoli. Libya there can be no peace with Israel and affirmed adherence to the armed struggle as a method for the liberation of Palestine, Libya's Jana news agency reported Monday.

A communique issued after a week-long meeting rejected U.S. President Ronald Reagan's Middle East peace plan and Jordanian representation of Palestinians. It called on Arab countries to reject Israeli-Lebanese negotiations which it said were an attempt to draw Lebanon into the "Camp David trap."

The communique was issued by Libya along with the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine-General Command. the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine. the Democratic Front for the Liberation of Palestine, the Organization of Vanguards of the war of Popular Liberation (Saiga) and the Palestinian Popular Militant Front.

The agency quoted Libyan Leader Muammar Qaddafi as noting the absence of Yasser Arafat's Fatah group from the Tripoli meeting. It quoted Qaddafi as saying that according to the program worked out by the participants "no one can deal with the Palestinian cause without Libya.'

In a broadcast Coi. Qaddafi said all the Palestinian organizations except Al Fatah agreed that "from now on. Libya is essential to the Palestinian cause."

The Palestinian leaders participating in the meeting in Tripoli from Jan. 10 to 16 included George Habash. Ahmad Jibril. Naif Hawatmeh. Samir Ghocha and Hafham Abdul-Kader.

The communique rejected "all forms of

recognition, negotiations and peace with the expansionist Zionist entity...The nature of this struggle can only affirm that what has been taken by force can only be regained by force, and that armed struggle is the basic method in our struggle to regain our national rights in the liberation of Palestine and all other occupied Arab territories."

### Mubarak tells Arabs to back U.S. peace bid

NEW YORK, Jan. 17 (AFP) - Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak has warned that 'time is running (out) quickly" to reach an overall peace agreement for the Middle East.

In an interview appearing in the issue of the U.S. magazine Newsweek, he said: "If the Palestinians and King Hussein could reach a quick agreement of settling their relations. I think there will be no excuse for anyone not to start the negotiations on the West Bank and Gaza."

When asked, "would you propose including members of the Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO) in that delegation?". he replied: "Maybe. The PLO is everywhere, in the West Bank, even in the United States. That's not a problem."

President Mubarak said the PLO should seize the opportunity provided by U.S. President Ronald Reagan's peace proposals last September. "Its strong points should be implemented and the weak points should be put onto the negotiating table.

He said his talks in Washington at the end of January will deal with ways to speed up the peace process.

### Prisoner bares Iran torture

NEW YORK, Jan. 17 (AP) - An Afghan-born U.S. citizen says he was subjected to mock executions, torture and months of solitary confinement in seven Iranian jails during 966 days

Zia Nassry. released Nov. 6. was quoted in Monday's editions of the New York Times as saying he was snatched from his room in the Tehran Hilton Hotel by three masked men. blindfolded, interrogated and then declared guilty of espionage and sabotage. He was

"They read a brief statement and they found me guilty." Nassry said. "They tied me up on a hole. They opened fire. ... I could feel gun powder or the wind of the bullet going past. "At first I thought I had been hit." he said. "A minute or two later they shouted, bring that

so-and-so here.' Then they were nice and gave me cigarettes."

There was more. Nassry said that during his ordeal he was regularly beaten, put again before mock firing squads, kept in solitary confinement for months and hung upside down from his ankles.

Nassry and two other Americans were arrested shortly after the siege of the U.S. Embassy

in Tehran. The others, however, were released soon after their capture. Nassry, a 36-year-old Afghan-born management consultant from New York, said he was in Iran to try and meet with officials on methods of aiding refugees in Afghanistan in their struggle against the Soviet Union.

### **20 drown as boat overturns in Nile**

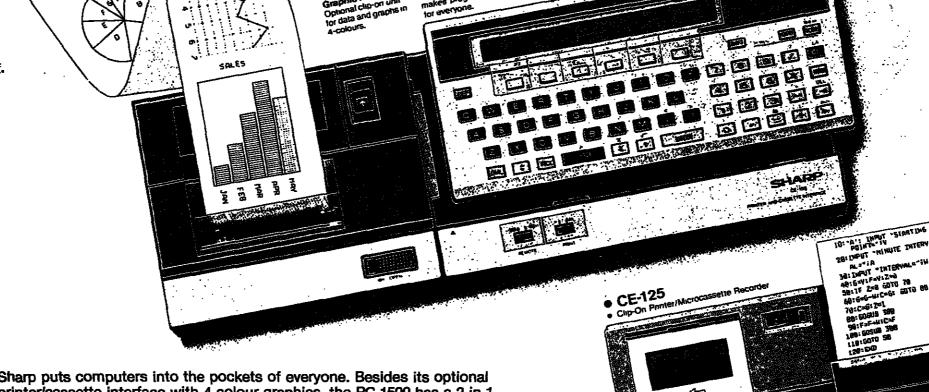
CAIRO. Jan. 17 (AP) - Twenty persons drowned in the Nile when their sailboat collided with a floating crane and overturned,

police said. Four persons, including an infant girl, were rescued during the Sunday mishap. The 4-month-old infant was saved by a passenger. army conscript Homam Kamel Hassanein. who thought it was his child. Upon arrival on shore, he discovered the child was not his and that his baby among those who drowned, police added.

Divers fished out the bodies of two passengers and were still looking for the remaining 18.

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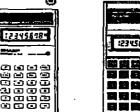
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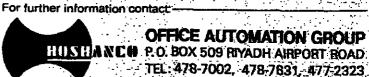
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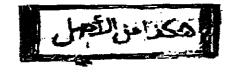


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# Mine explosion injures Falklands commander

STANLEY, Falkland Islands, Jan. 17 (AP) - The commander of a British army bomb disposal unit in the Falkland Islands was seriously wounded when he stepped on an Argentine anti-personnel mine in an area believed free of mines, the military said Sun-

A military spokesman here said the officer, Maj. Stephen Hambrook, lost part of one leg and suffered injuries to the other leg in the explosion Saturday near Fox Bay on west Faikland, In London, a defense ministry spokesman said Hambrook suffered "serious injuries to both legs," but he said he could not confirm the report that he was maimed.

Press reports said Hambrook, recipient of the George Medal for Bravery, briefed Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher on Argentine mines during her five-day tour last week. The defense ministry spokesman said, however, he did not know whether Hambrook was among the officers who escorted Mrs. Thatcher through a minefield, or even whether he spoke with her.

The Falklands spokesman said Hambrook was airlifted d by helicopter to the military hospital in Stanley, 112 kms away on east Falkland Islands. Hambrook's royal engineers unit reportedly was investigating an area that was not marked as a minefield and was believed free of Argentine mines and unexploded shells left there following last year's 74-day conflict

### On Diego Garcia issue

# Cuba supports Mauritius

President Juan Almeida Bosque, continuing an extended tour of Africa, has arrived in the Seychelles from Mauritius, where he notably supported the government's claim to the Indian Ocean island of Diego Garcia.

In a joint communique after talks with Mauritian Premier Aneerood Jugnauth, the Cuban side said the U.S. military base on Diego Garcia constituted a permanent threat

to nearby states. Washington has built up a major air-naval complex on the tiny isle which it leases from Britain as a jumping-off point for its Rapid Deployment Force (RDF) which is aimed at protecting U.S. interests in the Gulf region and the Indian Ocean.

Mauritius says that the Chagos archipelago, of which Diego Garcia is a part. was wrongfully separated from Mauritianterritory by London in 1965, three years before Mauritius's indepdence from Britain. In the communique. Cuba and Mauritius expressed their opposition to any foreign

military presence in the region, and Mauritius backed Cuba's claim to the U.S. base at Guantanamo Bav.

The communique, issued in the Mauritian capital of Port Louis, also denounced what it called South African attempts to destabilize the government of President Albert Rene in the Seychelles.

The Seychelles are linked to Mauritius in a nascent association of Indian Ocean states that also includes Madagascar. The mercenary band tried to overthrow Rene in November 1981 arrived in Victoria from South Africa. and the South African press last November reported that mercenary recruiters in Durban were again seeking men to help topple the Seychelles government.

The Cuban vice-president has been traveling in Africa for more than six weeks. delivering messages for heads of state from President Fidel Castro. current head of the nonaligned movement whose summit is in New Delhi in March.

## Clark said serious but stable

SALTLAKE CITY. Jan. 17 (AP) - Artificial heart recipient Dr. Barney B. Clark remains in a serious but stable condition with gauze packed into his nasal passages to pre-vent nose bleeds. University of Utah Medical Center officials said.

The medical center issued a statement Sunday saying Clark continues to improve slowly but steadily. Clark suffered from moderate to severe nose bleeds last week. Doctors said the nosebleeds were brought on by a gastric-nasal tube and anti-coagulants that thinned Clark's blood, and his nose was pac-

Clark will have to take anti-coagulants for the rest of his life to prevent blood clotting because of his plastic heart. The 61-year-old retired dentist from the Seattle area continues to exercise mildly and his wife and son

Gary visit him regularly, the statement said. Clark became the first recipient of a permanent artificial heart in a landmark operation Dec. 2. Monday was his 47th day of life

### Ship wreck site to be searched

CAPE TOWN, South Africa. Jan. 17 (AFP) - An expedition is to set out early next month in search of the wreck of the English vessel Waratah. which disappeared off the South African coast in July 1904 with 211 persons aboard.

The Waratak was not carrying any valuable treasure nor any documents of any value, and the search is being mounted out of simple curiosity, said its backer. Tony Ashworth, a printer who emigrated from Britain in 1967. No one has so far been able to explain the circumstances of the Warnich's disappearance. somewhere between Durban and the Cape in the course of its second voy-

20 lines. Reporters and photographers were

increasingly frustrated last week at Diana's

refusal to pose or give quotes while she skied

with Charles. The vacation had been meant

to give couple their first break from crowded

public engagement schedules since their son,

The tabloid Sun, whose reporters are still

pursuing the royal couple despite the press

pullout from Vaduz, said Friday Diana was

showing "near paranoia" at being photo-

graphed. The royal couple are expected to

end their 10-day holiday Monday. They have

been staying at Vaduz, home of Prince Franz

Josef II, ruler of Lichtenstein, making daily

unscheduled forays into the neighboring

Princess Diana has had trouble with the

press since before her engagement to the heir

to the throne in February 1981. Newshounds

tracked her round the clock from her apart-

ment to the London Kindergarten where she

worked, and continued to pursue her in pri-

vate life after the royal wedding July 29,

In an unprecedented step in December

1981, Queen Elizabeth II summoned British

newspaper editors to the palace to ask them

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Prince William, was born six months ago.



MEMORABILIA REMOVED: Firemen are seen removing from fire-damaged John's Grill, a favorite restaurant of many San Fraciscans that was made famous by author Dashiell Hammett in the Maltese Palcon. A pre-dawn fire Saturday caused an estimated \$2 million damage to the restaurant and two adjoining stores. Most of the 1906-era San Francisco lithographs, aged photos of politicians, police. private detectives. Hammett and Sam Spade memorabilia were sal vaged.

### Abductors free son of Basque industrialist

SAN SEBASTIAN. Spain. Jan. 17 (AP)-The son of a noted Basque industrialist kidnapped a week ago was released early Mon-

Miguel Ignacio Echevarria. 21. whose father is Patricio Echevarria, owner of one of the largest metal plants in the Basque country, was kidnapped from his home near here by two armed men Jan. 10. The abductors left a note asking for 125 million pesetas and two million French francs by Jan. 17 in return for

Police said Echevarria was freed house in the nearby town of Legazpi near a house whose owner drove Echevarria home. Police said the engineering student's abductors belonged to the Basque separatist organization ETA. The group carries out kidnappings for ransom money to carry out the fight to wrest control of the three Basque provinces - Guipuzcoa. Vizcaya and Alava.

Echevarria's family declined comment on the kidnapping and Interior Minister Jose Barrionuevo said he did not know whether a ransom had been paid. Another Basque industrialist. Saturnino Orbegozo. 70. was leased Dec. 30 after spending hostage. His two abductors, alleged members of FTA, were arrested.

### Alabama nuclear plant leaking

ATHENS. Alabama. Jan. 17 (AFP) -The nuclear power station at Browns Ferry. Alabama, was put on a state of alert Sunday after radioactive material was found to be flowing into the Tennessee River.

A spokesman of the Tennessee Valley Authority, who own the station, said the leak found in the reactor's cooling system was 'thought to be very small' and was not a health hazard.

# Campaigning starts for Delhi civic poll

NEW DELHI, Jan. 17 (AFP) - Campaigning for administrative control of the Indian capital has begun, with Prime Minister Indira Gandhi's Congress (I) Party hitting the campaign trail first after her party's stunning debacle in state elections earlier this month.

Mrs. Gandhi, who launched a strongly personal campaign in the state elections, has announced she will be campaigning herself in the municipal poll next month. Her candidates for all the seats in the metropolitan council and municipal corporation are facing tough challenges from the rightist parties -Bharatiya Janata Party (Indian People's Party) led by former External Affairs Minister Atal Behari Vajpayee, and the Janata (People's) Party, which ruled India for two years beginning in 1977.

Colorful posters have appeared in the city streets, and Gandhi officials began the rally part of the campaign by addressing 50 road-side meetings here Sunday. Traditionally, election campaigns in New Delhi are seen more as battles for prestige than for real power, since the 56-member metropolitan council is essentially a debating forum and has no legislative power.

The 100-members municipal corporation, however, frames local laws and runs day-today affairs of the Indian capital of 6.1 million people. The 1,485-square kms territory is administered by three bodies - the metropolitan council, the municipal corporation and the Delhi Cantonment Board, which is managed by the army with limited civilian participation.

The Congress (1) Party has 56 candidates. Bharatiya Janata 50 Janata 37 and independents 224. The remaining candidates are from smaller parties. A total of 851 candidates are standing in the corporation elections, with the Congress (1) offering candidacies for 100 seats, Bharatiya Janata 91. Janata 66, and independents 421. There are also four candidates of the independent Communist Party Marxist (CPI-M) and various candidates from smaller parties.

Indian newspaper projections give the Bharatiya Janata and the Janata an advantage over the Congress (I). Riding on the anti-Gandhi wave that swept India in 1977 following the two-year emergency rule, the Janata Party took power in both bodies.

But in March 1980, following Mrs. Gandhi's comeback that January, the council was dissolved. Similarly, the Janata-ruled municipal corporation was superseded by the federal government in April 1980, cutting down the life of the civic body by more than 14

### China names new party chief for Shandong

PEKING. Jan. 17 (R) - A new Communist Party chief has been appointed to run China's third most populous province in the latest sign of a reshuffle of provincial leaders. according to a local radio report available in Peking Monday.

The radio in the northern province of Shandong said the province's 76-year-old party chief, Bai Rubing, had stepped down in favor of former Governor Su Yiran. Su's resignation as governor of Shandong, where 74 million people live, was disclosed last month. He was replaced by Liang Buting, previously party chief in the far western province of Oinghai. Both Su and Liang are members of the ruling party central committee appointed last September.

Diplomatic sources said extensive reshuffles were in progress in several provinces as part of a move by China's strongman Deng Xiaoping and his pragmatic associates to rejuvenate the country's bureaucracy. replacing elderly officials with younger supporters. New governors have been appointed recently in Fujian province, opposite Taiwan. and Sichuan in the south west.

### Palace denies Princess Diana snubbed press morning as none printed stories of more than

LUNDON, Jan. 17 (AP) - Buckingham Palace, increasingly angry at the way reporters and photographers hounded Prince Charles and Princess Diana on a skiing vacation. Sunday denied reports the princess snubbed the press by turning down an invitation to present this year's newspaper awards.

The denial was the latest twist in a fresh outbreak of hostilities between the palace and newspapers pursuit of the 21-year-old princess, her husband, beir to the throne Prince Charles, and other royals. The Observer, one of Britain's major Sunday papers, said that up to 40) British reporters and photographers left their hotel in Vaduz, Lichtenstein, after the palace demanded they stop dogging Charles and Diana on a skiing vacation and allow them some privacy. "There is no question that an invitation

was accepted and then turned down," a palace spokesman said. The princess is concentrating almost entirely on organizations in which she is patron. She is not involved in any press organizations." The annual awards, organized by The Daily Mirror newspaper group, were presented by Prince Charles in 1978 and by Prime Minister Mrs. Margaret Thatcher and opposition Labor Party leader Michael Foot in recent years.

The Observer reported that the princess had also turned down an invitation to present drama honors awarded by London's Standard evening paper because of her displeasure with the press. Michael Shea, Queen Elizabeth Il's press secretary, on Friday accused newshounds who have shadowed Charles and Diana up mountain roads and



chastened British newspapers Saturday

where he seemed fed up with photographers following him and his wife Princess Diana ski-



to ease the pressure on Diana because she was suffering "great strain." The palace blasted the press again four months before the birth of Prince William last June 21 when down ski slopes for a week of ruining their two London tabloids published pictures of the pregnant princess in a bikini as she vac-His angry accusations appeared to have ationed with her husband in the Bahamas four

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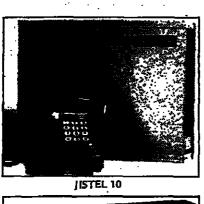
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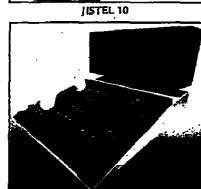
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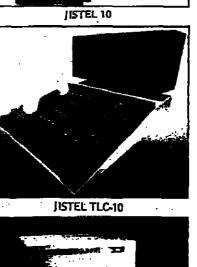
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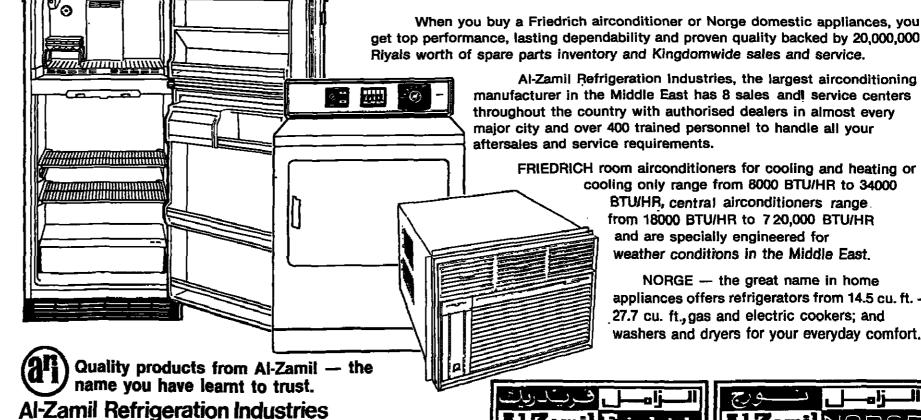








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# China mum on Soviet accusations

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PEKING, Jan. 17 (AFP) — China kept silent Monday about a Soviet accusation last week that Peking's claims on Soviet territory have been delaying the normalization of relations between the two Communist rivals.

A spokesman for the foreign ministry's information department said an article on Chinese claims of Soviet territory that was published last week by New Times, a Soviet magazine "contains nothing new" and "is worthy of no comment."

New Times accused China of delaying the normalization of relations, the subject of recent bilateral discussions, by holding to its claim to 1.5 million square kms of territory in the eastern Soviet Union. The Soviet article came as the two countries were preparing for a second round of talks in March in Moscow to follow up the discussions begun here in October. The New Times also said that any normalization of relations between Moscow

# Zaire exiles oust Mobutu

BRUSSELS, Jan. 17 (AP) - Several

Nguza was Zaire's foreign minister and premier several times in 1970s — even after he was sentenced to death for treason in 1977 Brussels in 1981. Since then, he has pre-

### Judge shot dead by IRA gunmen

Irish Republican Army (IRA) gunmen Monday shot dead one of the best\_known judges in Northern Ireland as he was leaving a Bel-

An elderly woman was also wounded by one of the four bullets aimed at Judge William Dovle. The killing was carried out by www.men who melted into the crowd and. made their getaway in a stolen car subsequently found abandoned in the Catholic

member" of the British "occupation forces"

Association, a Protestant paramilitary organ-

died at the age of 83.

stricken by severe arthritis and emphysema complicated in the last days of his life by pneumonia, doctors said. Curwain was a lin-South America, and enlisted Canadian parti-Yugoslavia.

wain hid beneath the rafters of the British Embassy in Warsaw and tapped out a morse code message saying German planes had

bridge, England, and served as a radio operator for the Royal Flying Corps in World Paris in 1938 and at one point during World rescue Norway's King Haakon from the German occupation.

## 2,000 W. Java houses

JAKARTA. Jan. 17 (AFP) - About 2.000 houses in the West Java regency of Cirebon were inundated last weekend by floodwaters, as deep as one meter (yard) in

Press reports said that more than 600 hectares (1.500 acres) of paddy fields and sugar cane in Cirebon Regency and another 2,000 hectares (4.950 acres) of cultivated land in Ciamis Regency were submerged when rivers in the area overflowed. destroying dams and

Damage has been estimated at some \$250,000, according to the Jakarta daily

Acch in north Sumatra. Padang Pariaman in west Sumatra and Indragiri Hulu in central Sumatra are the worst hit by floods caused by recent heavy rains after a prolonged drought last year.

and Peking could come only after each

renounced all territorial claims. China feels that its borders with the Soviet Union were drawn as a result of the treaties

imposed by Czarist Russia. But last year. Li Xiannian. a member of the Chinese Communist Party politburo's standing committee, told the Ítalian Communist Party newspaper L'Unita that China claims only "380.000 to 90.000 square kilometers occupied by the Soviet Union." One square kilometer is 0.39 square miles. But New Times said that publications in Peking and Shanghai had mentioned the full spectrum of traditional Chinese claims.

Meanwhile. Red Flag the Chinese Communist Party's theoretical review. proclaimed vehemently speaking out against "hegemon-ism." This was a clear reference to Chinese accusations that the Soviet Union is seeking to expand its influence. A commentary in Red Flag reaffirmed the party's desire to establish relations with all Communist parties or political groups representing the working class abroad.

The review stressed that Chinese Communists must refrain from any criticism of foreign parties, even when they make mistakes. But it made an exception for "parties or countries placed under the leadership of parties that practice begemonism" and said these "must absolutely be criticized

### Indonesian army officers retired

JAKARTA, Jan. 17 (AFP) - The Indonesian Army Monday relieved a total of 55 senior army officers as part of a rejuvenation" program within the armed forces.

Army Chief of Staff Gen. Poniman told the officers at a ceremony at army headquarters here that the reorganization, especially in the army, was necessary to boost the country's military capacity. The retirements are expected to be followed in the police as well as the navy and air force.

The army generals will be given their old salaries over a two-year post-retirement adaptation period for them to look for

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Plot to murder pope

# Italy may charge Austrian

ROME. Jan. 17 (AP) - Italian prosecutors may charge an Austrian arrested in Austria for gun smuggling with complicity in the shooting of Pope John Paul II. Italian papers said Monday.

Corriere Della Sera, Italy's leading daily. said Horst Grillmayer could be charged in the assassination attempt because he allegedly sold the browning pistol that Mehmet Ali Agea used to shoot the Pope May 13. 1981.

The Milan daily and Il Giornale, also of Milan. said Grillmayer allegedly sold the pistol to Omar Bagci. a Turkish national jailed in Italy on charges of complicity in the shooting. Bagci has renortedly confessed to

giving Agca the weapon in Milan shortly before the shooting, according to the papers,

Under Italian law, a person can be charged as an accessory for selling a gun used in a crime, even if he did not know what the weapon was going to be used for. Neither paper cited sources for its story, and Italian investigators have consistently refused to comment on specifics of the investigation.

Corriere Della Sera said Grillmayer may not be charged if he cooperates with Italian investigators who plan to interrogate him in an Austrian prison. It said Italy also may seek

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Zairian opposition leaders in exile, including former premier and foreign minister, Nguza Karl-I-Bond, have formed a "shadow cabinet" to bring to an end the dictatorial rule of Zairian President Mobutu Sese Seko.

Called the "Congolan Front for the Restoration of Democracy," it will be headed by Nguza. He said Friday, without elaborating, the group may also use force to overthrow Mobutu's one-party regime. Mobutu has ruled supreme for 17 years. The new organization has developed a plan to restore the economy of Zaire, a Central African country of 28 million people whose foreign debt exceeds \$5 billion.

- and quit as minister while on a visit to sented himself in speeches, among others to U.S. congressional panels, as a pro-Western alternative to Mobutu.

BELFAST, Jan. 17 (AFP) - Provisional

Andersonstown district.

In a communique later, the "provos" described Judge Doyle as a "prominent in Northern Ireland. His appointment as judge in 1978 was a controversial one among both Protestants and his fellow-Catholics. In 1980, he won a libel suit against the weekly The Economist after it alleged he had been nominated for his religion rather than his

legal ability.
In May, 1981, Judge Doyle again made ization, as "sinister" and jailing seven of its members for terrorist crimes.

### World War II spy dies in Toronto

TURONTO, Jan. 17 (AP) - Eric Curwain, the British secret agent whose radio message from a Warsaw attic told Britain that the Nazi invasion of Poland had started, has

Curwain, who settled here after World War II, died in the veterans wing of a Toronto hospital Saturday. He had long been guist, athlete, writer and a retired member of Britain's secret intelligence service. During World War II, he recruited and trained Canadians for anti-Nazi radio operations in sans as saboteurs for Marshal Tito's forces in

On a morning in September, 1939, Curdropped their first bomb on Poland.

Curwain, whose wife Vilma is a former military code-breaker, was born in Cam-War I. He joined the British secret service in War II made an unsuccessful attempt to

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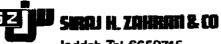
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Growing knowledge by the general public of first aid and resuscitation is helping as well.

personnel since the creation of the American College of Emergency Physicians in 1968.

Today, out of a roster of 15,000 emergency physicians in the United States, 1,000 are specialists who have been graduated from one of 60 postgraduate university residency programs. An additional 700 are now undergoing such training.

Backing them are 70,000 emergency nurses with up to two years of special training. There are also about 500,000 emergency medical technicians skilled in giving first aid and life support - many doing so in one of 39,000 specially equipped ambulances and some 300 helicopters. More than 900 hospitals in the United States now have heliports to receive patients delivered by helicopter. All that is having a big impact on the major

categories of emergencies, which are being eased by new medical technology.

Improved ways of restarting a patient's heart and lungs are being developed. Doctors at a Los Angeles medical center are perfecting a pacing device that would revive the heart by an electric shock through electrodes fastened to the chest and back. They are also developing a vest to be used for resuscitation.

"If in addition to restarting the heart of a critically injured person you can also save the brain from dying for lack of blood, that patient will wake up normal' instead of paralyzed, says Dr. Alasdair Conn of the University of Maryland's Shock Trauma Center in Baltimore, Maryland. At the Medical College of Virginia in Richmond, Virginia, neurosurgeons who treat severe head injuries report a drop in the mortality rate from 50 percent to 35 percent through use of techniques such as prompt surgery to remove blood clots and reduction of brain-fluid pressure with drainage and medication.

To get quick and expert information to physicians and lay persons on the handling of poison emergencies, some 30 large regional U.S. poison-control centers - each serving a population of one million to 10 million have been certified by the American Association of Poison Control Centers. The National Poison Center Network each year distributes 120 million green labels to be placed on household substances as warnings to small children not to swallow them.
In a new trend, hospitals — 35 of them so

far - are leasing or buying aircraft to bring in

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# Building machines of physics with ae

WASHINGTON (WP) - When Robert Rathbun Wilson was 50 years old, he began to complain to his wife. He had been a physicist, at the top of his profession in the study of elementary particles, for three decades. He was not doing much real physics anymore, and he did not want to merely roost as an administrator at his university laboratory at

Wilson had already contributed a number of things to the history of physics, not the least of them was his strong sense of the art in science, the aesthetic dimensions of preci-

Dear Dr. Steincrohn: Patients leave their doctors for many reasons.

Mine seems to be a reasonable one. He refuses to tell me about my

treatment. He says that patients should have complete confidence in

their doctor — and not ask questions. But, I believe that I should know

what medicine I'm taking. After all, as the patient who swallows the

pills and capsules, don't I have the right to be told what I'm taking?

My friend's doctor sits down with her and explains every step of the

way. She not only knows what's troubling her, but why he's pre-

Dear Mrs. J.: What your doctor says about the need for having

complete confidence is important. However, the point you make

about wanting to know what you're taking is important, too. I have

never believed that patients should endure complete ignorance about

their doctor's plans for treatment. The relation between doctor and

patient should be a partnership. Neither partner should be kept in

ignorance. I think this is especially true in the treatment of elderly

patients. Children should know what has been prescribed and how

the medicine is supposed to work. Too often, the wrong diagnosis of

senility is made. Drugs may cause serious reactions that resemble

brain deterioration. In a recent instance, the mind of a 79-year-old

man cleared up when too large doses of antidepressant drugs were withdrawn by his children. His doctor has warned them of the pos-

scribing her medicines. Am I asking too much? - Mrs. J.

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MEDICINE

AM I TAKING?

from physcis, he thought about making his hobby of sculpting a full-time avocation, and he indulged in the fantasy of settling in Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Wilson wanted no part in building a particle accelerator, a machine used in physics to break down matter and find the ultimate bits which underlie it all. Building such machines was not real science, he thought. It was work for a technician. Such a job was useful, but lacked creative challenge.

But circumstances did not allow Wilson to escape, and in the next two decades he became known as one of the great machinebuilders in the history of physics. He built and directed for 11 years the Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory in Baravia, Illinois. Wilson built the machine - along with its

European twin CERN, one of the two biggest machines of any kind ever built by man with a special aesthetic flair which has since spread to many machines throughout physics. Before Wilson, the machines of physics

were made with a chaos of wires and tubes and metal bars. Their color was that of the original gray parts, modified by dut and grease. But now, at Fermilab and elsewhere, the bodies of accelerators are painted in bright colors.

sible reaction and they were ready for it. This is an example of close

MEDICALETTES

(Replies to and from readers):

Dear Dr. Steincrohn: Like many parents, I'm concerned about

giving aspirin to my children when they have a sore throat or bad cold.

I've read about the danger of getting a complication like Reye's syndrome. How do you feel about aspirin for children? —Mrs. T.

occur in a child that has apparently recovered from a viral infection.

The relapse is marked by vomiting, confusion and delirium. It may be

fatal. Recent reports have suggested a link between the use of aspirin

and Reve's syndrome. The Center of Disease Control in Atlanta

warns that aspirin should be avoided in treating fever in children with

chicken pox or influenza. However, it states that while studies

indicate aspirin may be a factor, there's no proof that it actually

causes Reye's syndrome. Therefore, Mrs. T., aspirin should not be

(Tomorrow: Rest can be overdone).

denied to children. Only thing is it should be used with caution.

Dear Mrs. T .: As you've probably read. Reye's syndrome may

cooperation between doctor, patient and family.

Dr. Peter

J. Steincrohn

M.D., F.A.C.P.

In the Fermilab machine, the 1,000 great 20-foot magnets that make up the circular, four-mile-long machine are bright blue, with every fourth one painted red. The magnets sit on fellow metal stands, which Wilson designed with decorative corners and scalloped edges. The wires and other paraphernalia are tucked neatly in steel tubes. Wilson's machines are gorgeous.

Fermilab is among the largest of the world's laboratories, and all of its more than 100 buildings, 1,500 workers and perhaps a million tons of equipment were created as support for a single great piece of machinery.

Physicists call it a particle accelerator, newspapers an atom smasher. There are only a dozen of these machines in the world. The one at Fermilab is the most powerful. But despite its great size, the accelerator has no practical purpose. It manufactures nothing and makes no profit.

"Our work here is primarily spiritual," says Wilson." We are concerned with the ultimate

At one time, when Wilson and I were riding horses on the broad prairie around the Fermilab machine, we found ourselves heading toward an odd geographic feature about a quarter mile away where the ground rose up in a 20-foot berm. It was under this, in a concrete tunnel, that the great machine was

working.
The long, earthen mound stretched off to the right and left, curving out of sight. Maps show that it curves around for four miles, completing a circle. The clearest sense of its size comes from photographs taken from a satellite about 300 miles in space. The spreading towns and suburbs of the region appear as ragged blotches. Against this background is one sharp and almost perfect circle. The only feature on earth of such size and regularity, it stands out against the Midwestern landscape like a dandelion in short grass.

pharmaceutical business.

money and now holds 40 product licenses. Demand for Galen's 22 products, some of which are exported to mainland Europe. the Middle East and the Far East, has grown sufficiently for the company to plan a doubling of its production unit — with the emplovment of a further 50 workers on top of its present staff of 36 - during the next two

The product list is wide ranging and includes iron tablets, vitamin capsules. anti-acids, cough medicine, tranquilizers. and anti-diarrheal, sterilizing and wart removal preparations. The company's veterinary products include a very successful

The strategy has been to identify market areas not served by the big companies. And where it does clash with the giants. Galen aims to be cheaper - an important factor with health budgets under pressure.

Knowing where the gaps are is second nature to Galen's joint managing directors. Bertie Robinson and Allen McClay. For Bertie was formerly a salesman for Organon, while Allen has worked for Glaxo. And their careful choice of a broad spectrum of products means that Galen is relatively unaffected by fluctuations in demand for particular lines.

Another key figure in the Galen story is

### Success in Northern Ireland

## Cure for whooping cough

LONDON (LPS) - The misery of whooping cough, which this year has affected thousands of British babies and children in what has been described as a nearepidemic, has brought into prominence the latest product of a small but growing drugs company based in Northern Ireland.

For the cough medicine called Expulin made by Galen Ltd. at Craigavon is one of the few preparations that can be used to treat infants less than a year old. The recent launch of the pediatric version of Expulin coincided with the outbreak of whooping cough, which caught out many parents who had not had their children innoculated in

Expulin's ingredients act to suppress coughing, to improve respiration and to dry up mucus secretion. And, as it does not contain codeine, it can be given to infants under 12 months and has no unpleasant side

effects such as constipation. It is the careful researching and choice of products such as Expulin that has made it possible for a small concern like Galen to survive and prosper in the face of competition from the giants of the multinational

Galen is the result of a successful marriage of Ulster business zeal and the patronage of government development grants. Set up on an industrial estate in the new town of Craigavon, it started with four products in 1970. Since then it has never failed to make

anti-mastitis dip for cattle.

the technical director. Dr. John King, who is

an authority on a substance called Glutaraldehyde, from which the company has developed a range of products.

Asep, a sterilizing fluid suitable for delicate surgical instruments that cannot be risked in the conventional autoclave, was the company's first Glutaraldehyde product. After stringent testing by the Medical Research Council and screening for crossinfection at Dudley Road Hospital, Birmingham. Asep is now used in all United Kingdom teaching hospitals.

This means that visiting doctors have used Asep, and they have been impressed enough to order the fluid for use in their home countries. By this method, Galen has won valuable and unsolicited export orders.

The lack of the large-scale research resources of a multinational company has not impeded Galen. Instead it bas developed close contacts with local hospitals. universities and government

There isn't a subject we could approach on which we don't have a consultant or specialist whom we know well enough to lift the phone and contact on first name terms." explains McClay.

Another recent innovation, Diarrest an anti-diarrheal preparation which also replaces lost fluids and minerals benefited from these professional and friendly links. Diarrest proved successful in clinical trials organized with the cooperation of general practitioners and hospitals in Northern Ireland.

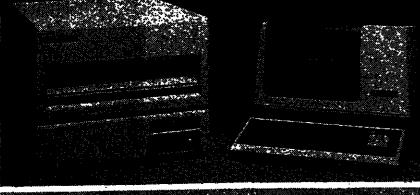
And the development of a veterinary product. Lactosept - again based on Glutaraldehyde — was the result of cooperation across border with the Irish Republic. Clinical trials carried out by the Agricultural Institute at Moorpark, near Dublin. showed that this teat dip was more effective than other products in the prevention of mastitis in cattle. World patents have been taken out on Lactosept, which is already on sale in the United Kingdom, the Republic of Ireland, the Netherlands and Switzerland. and which goes into New Zealand next year.

Collaboration like this has enabled Galen to overcome the problems of being a small concern with limited resources. And Dr. John King, the company's technical director, also acknowledges the support Galen receives from the Industrial Science Division (ISD) of the Department of Commerce in Northern Ireland.

The ISD is headed by Dr. John McCullins and provides local industry with assistance on research and development. Galen has found the division's sophisticated analysis facilities, including atomic absorption spectrometry, to be invaluable when working on new drugs. The division also has access to computer-based research data throughout the world, and can advise on the thorny problems of patent protection.

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### MIDEAST PEACE BIDS

There appears to be a two-pronged peace offensive in the region judging by the hectic pace of diplomatic activity that is going on at present.

The first prong concerns the involvement of Jordan in the peace process and its relations with the Palestine Liberation Organization. Jordanian-Palestinian talks have gone on nicely the near future.

But it will be too early to expect any concrete results immediately in view of the many and grave hurdles that the two sides and their Arab supporters must surmount before they reach an agreement.

The other prong is the stepped up Algerian mediation, with Arab blessings, between Iraq and Iran to settle the costliest war in Islamic history. Algeria has supported Iran in the fighting blaming Iraq for sparking the conflagration. But it is the nature of the fighting that has prompted and encouraged the Algerians to try their hand at mediation.

Neither country is able to tip the balance of the war in its favor. Both are tired of the bloodshed and want an honorable way out. Iran is exhausted and has come to realize that it just cannot invade and occupy Iraq. Iraq is still strong enough to resist such an onslaught and many others outside it will not allow this to happen. There are simply too many risks in permitting Iran to conquer Iraq or even to gain the upper hand inthe fighting.

Once again, the war is not about to end just because Algerian mediation has been enhanced and Iran appears interested in starting a dialogue while the artillery duels contime unabated. Nevertheless, this seems to be as good a time as any to probe Iranian intentions now that its armies are unprepared for a massive attack to settle the issue on the battlefield.

Iraq too must be eager to stop fighting and start rebuilding. The war has cost it heavily. It has shattered its economy and brought its oil exports almost to standstill. Very little has been achieved by it.

Iraq has been proposing a peaceful settlement but Iran has refused to talk about it as long as its armies were still on the offensive. After the collapse of almost all its offensives, specially the disastrous one on Basrah, it may be in a better mood to listen to the voice of reason.

### Saudi Arabian press review

Al-Madinah Monday welcomed diplomatic moves launched by an Arab League delegation to win international support for a pan-Arab peace plan to resolve the Middle East conflict and called on the Arab states to heal their peripheral differences and collectively support the Pales-

It said the Arabs had suffered too much due to their petty dif-ferences and conflicts. Commenting on the outcome of the delegation's visits to Washington. Paris. Moscow and Peking, the paper expressed optimism that its contacts with the permanent members of the U.N. Secutiry Council would produce positive results in the service of the Palestine cause.

Al -Jazirah welcomed the joint meeting between the delegation and the Jerusalem Committee formed by the third Islamic summit held in Makkah and urged the international community to support the pan-Arab peace plan to ensure peace and security in the Middle Fast.

Okaz said the Kingdom had

always been anxious to ensure Arab conciliation and re-establish Islamic solidarity and unity. especially at the current crucial stage facing the Islamic nation. The Kingdom's desire is quite clear from the recent visit of Crown Prince Abdullah to Baghdad and Damascus and the arrival of Jordanian King Hussein and Syrian Foreign Minister Abdul Halim Khaddam in Riyadh as well tour of some Arab countries." the

paper added. It said the current momentum of peace process in the region should be preserved in order to make use of the present international situation.

Commenting on the recent GCC oil ministers conference held in Bahrain. Al -Riyadh said the council had always tried to deal with oil affairs on the basis of common interests while some other states had breached an accord on prices and output necessitating the covening of the OPEC ministerial meeting in Geneva next week. (SPA)

pope. Martial law was ostensibly lifted in Poland. but Lech Walesa was then openly denounced. An abrupt halt was called to any wishful thinking that as PLO Chairman Yasser Arafat's

Poland in the first weeks after the suspension of martial law is like an enormous metaphorical building site. Everywhere there are old structures, some ruinous (like Solidarity). some merely standing empty (like the institution of martial law itself).

And there are also new buildings appearing: the emergency laws passed by parliament to replace military discipline. institutions which are mere blueprints without even foundations so far (for instance, the possibility of a new constitution in which Gen, Jaruzelski would become a sort of Gaullist strong president), and webs of scaffolding containing structures as yet too weak to stand by them-

By William G. Hyland

Special to The Washington Post

Yuri Andropov turns out to be a man who knows

how to take charge. He has flouted the conventional

wisdom that there ought to be a period of internal

struggle and consolidation before Andropovism

emerges in all its glory. Almost the reverse has been

He took power quickly but far from completely

he placed only a few loyalists in key positions.

and without waiting began issuing policy pro-

nouncements every other week. He is acting like a

prince regent, who developed his own program long

ago, but now at long last can proclaim it in his own

name. Although he modestly told the central com-

mittee he did not have all the answers, he is acting as

course. This fits his experience. After all, he spent

the last 30 years involved in some aspects of foreign

policy, and the last 25 years at Moscow Center. He

was spared those laborious tours of duty in the

provinces supervising harvests or ensuring that fac-

tories met their norms, as Khrushchev and Brezh-

nev did. Foreign policy provides a wide field for

maneuver. A new investment program or restruc-

turing of Soviet agriculture may in the end be more

important, but for now an offer to meet President

In his inaugural address to the central committee.

he revived detente, on the one hand, and made a

new overture to the Chinese, on the other. He

refused to be insulted by the curt dismissal of his

Chinese interlocutor, Huang Hua, or dissuaded by

carping in the West. He skillfully stitched together

old arms control proposals into a new Andropov

plan. He held out the promise of reducing "hun-

dreds" of Soviet missiles in European Russia, down

to the level of the British and French forces. He

went on to suggest reductions of continental

A week later he offered to meet Reagan at a

summit, and finally he unveiled a new peace decla-

ration in Prague (of all places), which included an

offer for a non-aggression pact with the West. Not

These were intended to be the carrots, but there

has also been a bundle of sticks. Andropov warned

that he was not naive, would not disarm, nor beg for

peace. He then proved it by threatening to build a

new Russian MX (which would be the fourth one)

and a new Cruise missile. Reagan was charged with

using the MX to violate the SALT Treaty: This at a

time when the Soviets were again encoding their

missile tests and preparing to test a second new

missile. Pravda wrote off the arms control negotia-

tion as almost hopeless because of Western opposi-

tion to peace, but then had the gall to attack the

By Neal Ascherson

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weapons by 25 percent.

bad for 60 days.

Reagan commands international headlines.

He has been most active in foreign policy, of

if he does.

**WASHINGTON** -

The Poles find this situation confusing. Nobody seems quite sure which regulations passed under martial law are still in force or. indeed, whether the suspending of martial law has changed life for the better or the worse. Censorhip is in many cases growing harsher. The cultural associations suspended after Gen. Jaruzelski took full powers on Dec. 13 1981, the unions of writers and film-makers for instance, have not returned to life. Instead, a law

Poland tightens censorship some 50 years old has been resurrected which can keep them inactive for another six months of proba-

There is no amnesty for the several thousand prisoners convicted under martial law, and so far a

promised grant of selective pardons has not begun. One of the new structures still in scaffolding is PRON - the Patriotic Movement for National Rebirth. Founded in July 1982, seven months after the imposition of martial law, PRON's rather vague purpose is to act as a broad collecting-pool for public opinion which supports the regime of Gen. Jaruzelski. As most Poles still regard this government with at least passive hostility, the pool has not so far collected very much. But local PRON groups. perhaps at official prompting, began at the end of last year to ask local authorities to release internees: a request which was usually granted. However. the proposal by PRON's provisional executive for an amnesty for those convicted under martial law was rejected.

PRON's ambition is to be 'authentic' - to be accepted as a genuine, rather than officially inspired, expression of what ordinary people want and think. Here, the main problem is the attitude of decisive year in Europe given the plan to begin deploying American missiles by the end of the year if there is no satisfactory outcome in the Geneva negotiations. He has grasped what the Americans are slow to accept: that there is a struggle for the hearts and minds of Europe, and the Geneva arms control negotiations are not only a technical exercise in rearranging missiles. Between now and the West German elections in March, the contest is in

Andropov, a shrewd tactician, adept at the game of politics

the Soviets were about to pull out of Afghanistan.

and in Syria a new base of Soviet anti-aircraft mis-

It should not be too surprising that after the slow

drag of Brezhnev's last years, the new regime has a

more sprightly style. Andropov should be adept at

what the Bolsheviks used to call "agitprop" (agita-

tion and propaganda). This has been one part of his portfolio in the Central Committee and the KGB.

His initiatives are well timed. At year's end, as the

United States was winding down a miserable

lame-duck Congress and a messy debate on the

MX, the Soviets seized most of the international

headlines, while Andropov was still new enough to

There is another aspect to the Andropov style -

a willingness to play hardball. It is not so much the

new threats. If anything, Andropov talks softer than

Brezhnev did in his last speeches. What is new is a

tough self-confidence, if not harsh cynicism. Take

the handling of the pope. Almost everyone was

stunned that the Soviets viciously attacked the pope

in print, because it seemed to give substance to the

charge of conspiracy in the assassination attempt.

But this brazenness was its very virtue: a routine

attack on the church has been standard Communist

fare since 1917. But an open assault at this very

moment commands immediate attention and shows

who is really tough, all the more brazen when one

considers that the Catholic church is an important

factor in the disarmament debates in the United

Style can substitute for substance, but not for too

long. Even Khrushchev became tiresome. Beneath

the Andropov style there is little that is new. There

has been talk of a summit for two years. Some of the

disarmament schemes were already proposed in

Geneva and turned down. The China overtures

date back at least to Brezhnev's speech in Tashkent

a year ago. Non-aggression pacts are among the

hoariest of Soviet proposals. In short, it is Brezh-

But this is precisely the point. We are no longer

confronted by Brezhnev's prudent plodding, but

something akin to a disciplined Khrushchev.

Brezhnev in his last years had settled down to

trench warfare, digging in on all fronts. Andropov is

The proclamation in Prague of a "struggle for

peace" is the telltale sign. Over the past 20 to 30

years, the Communist parties have issued a dozen

similar peace declarations. As a central committee

official in the international department, Andropov

must have helped draft many of them. So he has

There is a serious, substantive side to Andropov's

maneuvers. Brezhnev brought Soviet policy to a

dead end after the Afghan invasion. The Chinese

broke off their negotiations with him, the West

drew back from detente, and NATO went ahead

with a missile rearmament program directed against

Soviet territory. Brezhnev reacted slowly and

unsurely. Andropov realizes that 1983 will be a

breaking out and declaring mobile warfare.

nevism without Brezhnev.

been around this track before.

siles is under construction.

be an object of curiosity.

the very realm of agitprop. This year may well be a decisive period in shaping a new Sino-Soviet relationship. Brezhnev had virtually produced an encirclement of Russia. He unsuccessfully tried to break out in Afghanistan. What Andropov has in mind is breaking up the encirclement by weaning away China and America's European allies. That is his game, and he is off to a fast start. He is leading from strength. Unlike previous peace offensives, which were often really defensive, this time Andropov can exploit a fluid political situation in Europe and even in the United States on issues of nuclear weapons and

peace. There will be elections in Germany, Great

Britain, Italy and the United States in the next two

years. Nuclear issues will figure in all of them. The Atlantic Alliance is bedeviled by intractable problems of political and economic relations, nuclear strategy and disarmament tactics. Andropov offers an easy way out. He also knows that the Chinese are uneasy and uncertain and in a mood to drop their insistence on Soviet concessions in Afghanistan and Indochina. He may even escape without any troop reductions on Sino-Soviet borders. What Andropov senses is that he has an

unusual chance to make some cheap gains. The paradox is that he is also leading from some fundamental weaknesses. He is gambling that quick fixes in foreign policy will strengthen his position at home, much as Malenkov tried to do after Stalin's death. His position is much stronger than Malenkov's of course, but he still must build up his own power structure. And this can only be at the expense of the old Brezhnev politburo.

Moreover, he has no experience in economic policy or agriculture. He seems to hint at the need for basic reforms, but all of his years in Soviet politics must warn him that reforms challenge the very bureaucratic structure that put him into the top job. So he needs time to develop an economic policy, but he must gather power as quickly as possible. Foreign policy is thus the easiest place to start. Most of the politburo can happily go along with still another peace appeal. As long as he has the support of Marshal Ustinov and the professional military plus Gromyko, he is in fairly good shape. But he may not want to remain beholden to the military for too long. Ustinov may be in the same position as Marshal Zhukov in 1957, when he was purged after helping Khrushchev to defeat Malenkov and

Thus, in the end, if there is to be Andropovism, there will have to be some de-Brezhnevization.

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the Catholic church, without whose endorsement nobody claiming to represent independent Polish opinion can hope to be taken seriously.

Although PRON's national chairman is the Catholic writer Jan Dobrazyuski. Cardinal Jozef Glemp. the primate, has so far refused to recognize PRON or receive its leaders, let alone to encourage the faithful to join it. Some pro-government Catholic associations like Pax support PRON, but independent lay Catholic groups, of which Znak (the sign) is the most important, back the primate's

At present PRON's chances of achieving 'authenticity', or gaining genuinely wide support, do not look bright. The regime, though rather obviously disappointed with PRON's performance in its early months, seems determined to carry on the experiment. on the principle that at least an appearance of 'dialogue' between rulers and ruled must be achieved

No doubt PRON. in whatever task is finally given to it, will be formally powerful. But the scathing comments of ordinary Poles suggest that it is unlikely to be respected by the population. (ONS)

Here, too, Andropov is showing a subtle style. His minions are privately denouncing Brezhnev for the last years of disasters, beginning with Afghanistan. But publicly Andropov pledges continuity and dutifully renames villages and city squares for the late general secretary. How do we deal with all of this? Certainly not by

counter-punching, awaiting each new Soviet move. then carefully explaining why it is unacceptable. That may be sound diplomacy, but a sure loser in the short run. We need to maneuver, and we should be able to do quite well. Andropov needs a summit meeting as a sign of legitimacy. Reagan can live without it. Thus, we can take charge of the timing and the terms. Until now, we have defined the framework of major arms reductions, and the Soviets have moved in our direction. The president should now unleash his chief negotiator, Paul Nitze, who has the skill and experience to discover whether there is any room for compromise. This sign of flexibility will put Andropov back on the defensive, please our allies, and might even lead to a surprisingly acceptable outcome. A prudent decision to preserve the MX will also strengthen our hand in Geneva, especially if the new recommendations relate a new plan to an arms control strategy.

We can compete in China much more easily than Andropov. We have no fundamental conflicts with the Chinese, but the Soviet certainly do. There is a limit to how far Andropov can really go in withdrawing troops along the border if he wants to retain the support of his military. But we can go quite far in providing modern technology and even some military assistance to Peking.

Finally, we need to bear in mind that Andropov has put on a dazzling display because be is a man in a hurry. At the next regularly scheduled party congress in March 1986, he will be almost 72. Thus, the next three years are critical for him. This should give the president considerable leverage, if he intends to run for re-election.

Two months ago, everyone was asking: Who is Yuri Andropov? What did he do in Hungary? Does he really speak English? - etc. Now we know that whatever else he may be, or may have been, he is a shrewd tactician, adept at the game of politics at home and abroad. After a three-year respite, the great game with the USSR is on again, and we will have to start playing it soon lest we fall behind in points.

# Today is Tuesday. Jan. 18. the 18th day of

983. There are 347 days left in the year. Highlights in history on this date: 1701 — Frederick III of Brandenburg is crow-

ned Frederick I. king of Prussia.

1915 — Japan issues secret ultimatum to China regarding rights in Shantung and Manchuria.

1919 — World War I peace conference opens at Versailles. France.

1943 — Russia armounces it has broken the long siege of Leningrad by the Germans. Germany resumes its air attacks on London.

1956 — Conference on Malayan federation

opens. National People's Army is formed in East Germany.

1962 — Dominican Republic's ruling council

which had been deposed by military officers two days earlier, regains control of Dominican gov-

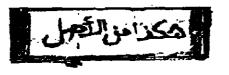
1968 — United States and Soviet Union agree on a draft treaty to control nuclear weapons.

1975 — In China, National People's Congress holds its first session in a decade and endorses

political leadership of Premier Chou En-lai. 1977 — Indian Prime Minister Indira Gandhi announces national elections will be held in March to elect a new parliament: 1978 - Middle East peace talks in occupied

Jerusalem break off abruptly as President Anwar Sadat orders his foreign minister to return home and says the talks will resume only if Israel changes its position.

Thought for today:
Eat to live, and do not live to eat ... Franklin U.S. statesman (1706-1790)



# Law of Sea Convention heralds Treasures newera in sharing global wealth down there

UNITED NATIONS (Depthnews) -With 119 signatures and the promise of more to come, the United Nations has given birth to the most complex piece of international legislation ever written.

The Law of the Sea Convention, signed in Montego Bay, Jamaica on Dec. 10, took nine years to negotiate and has something to say about almost every conceivable human activity above or below the waves.

It was almost torpedoed in its final stages by the U.S. insistence that deep seabed minerals are not the "global heritage of mankind." A U.S. vote against the convention will put a severe crimp in the U.N.'s ambition to mine those resources and share the proceeds with the poor.

But the document and its 321 articles seem destined to hold as the standard for future international behavior because the alternative lawlessness would be too horrendous for anyone to contemplate. And when all is said and done, the package has something for everyone:

Most vital to the superpowers' strategic interests is the right of free passage to shipping, submarines and aircraft beyond the 12-mile limit of all coastal states. This also includes transit through straits which are too narrow to be territorial waters; and there are more than 100 of them which are 24 miles wide or less, and could otherwise be interpreted as sovereign territory.

Two strong strategic example are the Straits of Gibraltar which are bordered by Spain and Morocco, and the Straits of Hormuz which form the entrance to the Gulf and flanked by Iran and the United Arab Emi-

By Donald Forbes

PARIS (R) - Amid the opulence of Paris,

Homeless, penniless and jobless, he flaunts

rather than conceals his misery. Each day, he

crouches for several hours in the street with

his head bowed, a cupped hand outstretched

There are scores of men like Jean-Pierre, a

brotherhood of unfortunates who by acci-

dent, bad luck or inability to cope are cut off

Not to be confused with the traditional

Paris clochards, those tramps who live an

underground existence by choice, such men

are members of what has become know as

lronically, the name was coined by the

Paris that the number of poor was so high that

a French social service group was distributing

The report jolted public recognition of the

Because of the inundation of its stations by

dropouts seeking warmth, the Paris Metro

has cooperated with the government in creat-

ing almost 400 temporary winter beds for the

The number of homeless in Paris has risen

from 5,000 to 8,000 since 1976 with the bulk

of the increase occurring since 1980. A prim-

ary cause has been worsening unemployment

The new poor also include illegal immig-

rants, released prisoners who have never

managed to resume a stable life, the unedu-

traditional clochards are middle-aged or

elderly, more than a third of the street people

known to Bapsa, the police department

30-year-old who declined to give his real

name, is not untypical. He tells it with an air

of disbelief, bewildered by the rapidity of his

descent. Four months ago, he had a job, a

factory in eastern France where he worked as

The fatal moment was the closure of small

Jean-Pierre decided to try to find work in

Within four weeks, he was broke and on

Paris. He arrived with \$300 and set up base in

The story of Jean-Pierre, a tall, disheveled

They are getting younger. While many

cated and sometimes the slightly mad.

responsible for them, are under 30.

home and a seemingly secure future.

now standing at two million nationwide.

It says: J'ai Faim. (I am hungry).

and a placard at his feet.

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Jean-Pierre is a stark symbol of poverty and

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Under other provisions of the convention, coastal states have sovereign rights over their continental shelf and to all natural resources extending at least 200 miles from shore. They will be obliged to share with the international community a portion of revenues derived from oil or other resources beyond 200 miles. When their exclusive economic zones overlap with other states their claims will be adjudicated by an international tribunal.

Highly migratory species of fish and marine mammals will be accorded special protection and all states will be obliged to use the best practical means at their disposal' to control marine pollution from any source. Landlocked countries will have the right of access to and from the sea through the territory of intervening states by all means of transport; they will also share in returns from marine resources exploited by a proposed global cartel to be known as the "Enter-

States will be bound by the convention to promote the development and sharing of marine technology used to get at those resources. It is these various sharing arrangements which have run afoul of the Reagan administration's free enterprise philosophy.

The Law of the Sea Convention and its two major institutions took effect Dec. 10. The institutions are International Seabed Authority to govern the "Enterprise" from Jamaica and the Tribunal of the Law of the Sea to handle disputes from Hamburg, West Ger-

The main question in the minds of all participants is: just how effective can they be without U.S. participation, and vice versa?

The U.S. and its allies are the only nations

Paris homeless on the increase

with the technology to exploit the billions of dollars worth of nickel, copper, cobalt and manganese known to be on the floor of the Pacific Ocean. Even the U.S. mining interests most opposed to the convention doubt, however, whether they can raise the money to develop mining sites while their country

The cost of developing a single site has been estimated between \$1.5 billion and \$2 billion. It is considered unlikely that financial institutions would risk that kind of money on a venture when spoils are certain to spark a title dispute before the Law of the Sea Tribunal or the International Court of Justice.

remains outside the treaty.

And if the U.S. elects to go it alone and finance national miners to prospect the oceans, it would face the added burden of having to insure them against the political risk of trespassing on claims struck by other nations under the International Seabed Authority.

Given either scenario, American officials close to the Law of the Sea negotiations have conceded that there is little doubt the courts would rule in favor of claims by a signatory

It is in nobody's interest for the U.S. to remain aloof from the convention and if the long history of the talks is any indication, a way will eventually be found for U.S. to join

The Law of the Sea talks were launched with a push from U.S. President Lyndon B. Johnson, endorsed by Richard Nixon and blessed by Jimmy Carter. Now, even if they are temporarily snagged economically on the free enterprise sandbar created by President Reagan, hope remains that reason would float it clear again on the U.S. election tide of

# for everyone

MANILA (Depthnews) - The dive is deep, and maybe worth trillions of dollars. but the sound and fury over mining the world's seabeds might be much ado about nothing.

There is wealth for the taking down there: potato-sized, black, crumbly lumps of metal-bearing noudules scattered over the floor of the Pacific and Indian oceans. The problem. like for a similar bounty of oil deposits, is how to get it.

Worse, predictions of substantial deep-sea mining in the near future might also be wild off the mark.

But the dispute over the exploitation of the seabed has dragged the Sea Law Conference for almost a decade until its signing late 1982. The longest part of the convention, and the one over which the conference devoted most of its time, is the future regime for exploring and exploiting the bottom of the deep ocean in areas beyond the continental shelf of any

Lying on or just below the deep seabed are nodules which contain not only manganese but also nickel, cobalt and copper, and are estimated to amount to between one and eight billion tons. Those in the Pacific alone could be worth between \$3,000 and \$24,000

Discovered more than 100 years ago, the nodules are concentrated in a belt in the Northern Pacific and in patches around underwater volcanic mountain ranges. A rich deposit has recently been discovered in the Indian Ocean which India plans to survey and exploit with aid from West German. French and Danish firms.

The fist-sized lumps on the Pacific floor have already attracted eight major consortia from as many countries. The groups have reportedly spent at least \$200 million on exploration and research into methods of scooping the nodules to the surface and transporting them to land-based smelters. Costly mining technology developed by several Western companies is required to scoop up the nodules from a depth of three miles or

The companies want an adequate return on this investment; they feel the treaty is restrictive on private enterprise. The conference has adopted a scheme protecting such investments by virtually guaranteeing the companies will receive seabed mining contracts as long as they are sponsored by a state party to the convention. An expanded scheme now encompasses state or private enterprises from Japan. India, the Soviet Union, five consortia from North America and Western Europe, with room left for

future investments by developing countries. The major issue which prompted the United States to reject the convention is a basic disagreement over how the ocean floors should be mined. While the conference felt the mineral deposits should be shared by all mankind, the U.S. feels the volume of minerals mined should be greatly eased, and that there must be no requirements for American corporations to share advanced technology. The ocean floor contains at least three minerals crucial to American defense interests: nickel, manganese and cobalt.

Still. Professor E.S.W. Simpson believes that "no big corporations, in the U.S. or elsewhere, currently have the capability for deep-sea exploration although it is possible in the future that big consortia can make such an effort." Prof. Simpson is the president of the Scientific Committee on Oceanic Research (SCOR) which has made an assessment of available marine minerals.

He believes that profitable deep-sea mining could be a century away although optimistic speculation of mining manganese nodules has been made for 20 years now.

More promising, he says, are deposits of phosphate in some areas under the relatively shallow waters of the continental shelves. like off New Zealand. "But at present there is no shortage of phosphates." he says. "It is a question of incentives, what the world is short of. Such deep-sea mineral deposits are not economically viable now and probably in the next decade." Economically attractive now is petroleum, proven by offshore oil and gas development in the North Sea. the Arctic. off Canada's east coast, Mexico and Indonesia.

There are also other more attractive mineral marine wealth - tin along the coast of Malaysia. diamonds near the Namibian coast. and sand and gravel off the Netherlands. But these are the exceptions rather than the rule. Professor Simpson adds.

An SCOR report on the future of ocean research also cautions that ore grade manganese nodules are not uniformly distributed in economically interesting areas, although quite large variations, particularly in abundance, can occur locally.

The report also notes that while near shore minerals have received less attention over the past decade, there will be an increasing interest in them over the next two decades. The increasing price of certain metals. particularly gold and platinum. will be one reason. Developments in exploration and mining techniques will benefit exploration for less valuable cassiterite and light heavy mineral sands, for instance.

Another reason is the location of almost all shallow water mineral deposits within the Exclusive Economic Zones not subject to international laws and can be exploited at the will of coastal states.

While offshore areas will increasingly become important for oil production, they are still largely unexplored for many reasons. Cost is one. Technology has also not yet been developed for drilling safely in deep water. Perhaps more fundamental is simply that man knows very little about the oil potentials

During the Joint Oceanographic Assembly last August, developing countries were warned that unless they increase their scientific capabilities, they will be unable to take advantage of the new economic zone estab-



RIVER RUNNERS: River runners ride on inflated rafts through whitewater rapids in the New River Gorge National River in West Virginia.

# Whitewater rafting

By Eugenia Horstman Connally

NEW YORK - Quick. thrilling runs through the rapids followed by long, tranquil rides on calm water were the pattern of our recent daylong. 24-kilometer whitewater raft trip down the New River Gorge National River in West Virginia. in the Eastern United States.

I had arrived in Thurmond. West Virginia, on the banks of the New River, the previous afternoon with several colleagues for our annual trip through the New River Gorge sponsored by Wildwater Expeditions Unlimited to benefit National Parks & Conservation Association (NPCA). Jon. Tom and Chris Dragan. proprietors of Wildwater and ardent champions of wilderness, had worked closely with NPCA to get this section of the New River included in the U.S. National Park System. That effort was successful in 1978. when Congress authorized 106 kilometers of the New River in West Virginia as a national river to be managed by the U.S. National Park Service. As further evidence of their commitment, the Dragans donated the earnings from this day's trip to NPCA to

help carry on its conservation work. At 8.00 in the evening everyone assembled at the park pavilion, and we met other river runners who had arrived from various places --- some from as far away as the states of Ohio, Pennsylvania. New Jersey, and

Jon Dragan explained that we could hoose to ride down one of two sections of the river. People who wanted a leisurely ride with easy rapids would be shuttled 26 kilometers upriver. Those who wanted a more challenging ride on some of the best whitewater rapids in the Hastern United States would start their trip at camp, raft 24 kilometers downriver through some 19 major rapids, and be shuttled back to camp at the end of the day. I chose downriver.

Promptly at 7.15 the next morning. Jon began a safety lecture. He showed us how to fasten the life jackets, how to brace ourselves in the rafts, and what to do should we fall out of the raft. Emphasizing that whitewater rafting is a participation sport. he demonstrated several basic paddle strokes. Then we were issued life jackets. waterproof bags for our personal belongings, and paddles; and we climbed awkwardly into the rafts for our day's adven-

We ran several rapids, then stopped for lunch on a rocky beach.

Then, we piled into our rafts again and set out for the biggest and roughest of the New River Gorge's rapids. Now the walls of the canyon grew ever higher and steeper as the river cut deeper into the layers of ancient sedimentary rock, until the rim towered more than 300 meters above us.

Huge boulders lay in the river, and tributary streams added their rushing waters to the river. The rides through the rapids became wilder and lasted longer. We paddled furiously through them, but many times we stroked air as the rafts bucked madly through the churning waters.

Each rapid seemed more turbulent than the preceding one, and we anticipated each new challenge with a mixture of eagerness and anxiety.

Some 24 kilometers from our starting point, we ran a final turbulent rapid. Then we beached the rafts on the left shore. where a truck and a bus were waiting to take

The bus climbed a narrow road out of the gorge. From this vantage the river seemed merely a silver ribbon and the rapids mere white ruffles on its surface. But we knew otherwise, for we had just been there. We had participated. And now the river would live within us forever.

(Courtesy: National Parks Magazine)

## Woodcutter's double life worries Reagan's aides

By Robert Chesshyre

WASHINGTON (LOS) - Dennis LeBlanc. a 36-year-old former California cop. draws a salary of \$58,500 - a lot of money for a youngish man, even if he does carry the grand title of associate administrator for policy analysis and development in the U.S. Federal Commerce Department's National Telecommunications and Information Administration.

But now it has been revealed that that mouthful of a job description obscures LeBlanc's principal duties, which appear to be chopping logs and building fences at President Reagan's mountaintop ranch outside Santa Barbara in California. These kinds of tasks are not usually carried out by a highlypaid federal official, and not everyone in Washington is satisfied that the taxpayer is getting value for money.

However, prominent amongst those unperturbed by what some commentators call a scandal is, naturally enough, the president himself. who got to knowLeBlanc ten years ago when he was assigned to then Governor Reagan's security team. A friendship ensued, and when Reagan left the governor-

ship. LeBlanc went to help manage the ranch. When Reagan came to Washington as president two years ago. the faithful LeBlanc was once again in attendance, this time in the White House "office of special support services." from where seven months ago it was but a short step to his present high-flown situation. But his duties at the Reagan ranch remained fairly constant throughout these promotions, and he was in Santa Barbara for two of his first five months in his new posi-

When questioned by reporters about his professional life. LeBlanc said: "I feel perfectly at ease with it." His assigned department was "not a day-to-day hotbed of activity." although "I do call in and find out

how things are going." According to the chief White House spokesman, the president takes a similar relaxed view of LeBlanc's out-of-office activities. "I don't think be has any quarrel with what Dennis is doing. He said he planned to have Dennis go out there with him again" — an assertion which some here find insensitive. coming from a president who is about to agree to swingeing public expendi-ture cuts that will fall harshly on America's growing army of unemployed and poor.

LeBlanc does have responsibility for overseeing security arrangements at the ranch. but it is quite clear that both his Washington job and the freedom he enjoys to do wide-

ranging work on the estate stem from his long association with Reagan. Some newspapers now charge that these seeming abuses, and the uncritical manner with which they are dealt by the White House, are indicative of an attitude shared by many in the higher reaches of the Administration.

Over the past two years a number of senior Reagan officials have been revealed as drawing a pretty thin line between public morality and private gain, and, unless their heads are wanted for other reasons - as was Richard Allen's. Reagan's first National Security Adviser, who accepted \$1,000 and three wrist watches donated by a Japanese journalist anxious to interview Mrs. Reagan they survive with the president's blessing. Minor corruption is almost endemic in American public life, and a first-time visitor to the United States would be amazed not only by the frequency of scandal reports, but also by the casual attitude often taken to quite serious abuses off public trust. Former President Nixon left a baleful legacy that seems to mean that an official actually has to be jailed before it is considered improper for him to remain in office.

Even when someone does go to jail he can usually count on a warmish welcome on release and lucrative speaking engagements and book contracts, such as virtually all those jailed over Watergate later enjoyed. Although this free-wheeling ethos is by no means confined to the Reagan administration Congressmen fall from grace like ninepins if given half a chance, and state and municipal government throw up continual corruptions — it does particular harm to a president who is widely perceived as being on the side of the haves against the have-nots.

If unemployed black mothers are being rigorously vetted to prevent "fraud and abuse" in welfare handouts, dubious practices and nest-feathering at the top stand out as all the more offensive.

Reagan's natural habitat is amongst getrich-quick Californians, with whom he surrounded himself over the New Year, and whose morality might fairly be said to be business rather than public service. It is also in his nature to be sympathetic toward people he knows, and, whatever the furore, one can expect LeBanc to continue cutting brush at Santa Barbara.

But, if Reagan decides to make a second run for the White House, LeBlanc's double life will be there to haunt his chances, alongside the not-forgotten issue of Nancy Reagan's designer dresses and the replacement of the White House dinner service at a cost of \$225,000.

EIFFEL TOWER: The Elffel Tower described as the old lady of Paris has been a witness to everything that goes on in the French capital for the last 93 years.

"I realize now that I started out with too many illusions," he said. "I would get up early, buy the newspapers for the jobs vacant advertisements and then start telephoning.

wasn't what they were looking for."

the onset of winter and he crossed another frontier by starting to beg.

The reply was always the same — that I

Things became bad for Jean-Pierre with

difficulties melt away. You give less of a damn what people think." Such men are an increasingly common

sight, sitting cross-legged and motionless in front of luxury food shops and jewelers in the richest parts of Paris.

Their presence is a disturbing contrast with the sleekness of the French capital which visitors from the provinces say they find particu-

When you are sufficiently desperate, the

# Rich become China's new heroes

LONDON (LOS) - During the Chinese Communist Party Congress last year. agitated country folk gathered every day around their radios in Inner Mongolia to see if the line on agriculture had changed again.

After many years of violent policy swings. some leading to mass starvation and decades of hunger, their agitation was understandable, as is now officially admitted. "Our previous policies were so apt to change," the party's own People's Daily said in a recent article. "that peasants and herdsmen were always in a state of anxiety."

To counter such fears. China's leaders are going all out to condemn past rigidities, and are holding up for emulation those farmers who do well for themselves either indi-

vidually or in small voluntary associations. The communes, that climax of the Maoist vision, are finished. Written out of the latest constitution as centers of local political power, their administrative function has already been assumed by country towns in 69 model areas across the country, according to the latest reports.

Politburo member Wan Li has just forecast an un-Maoist future of small peasant cooperatives engaged in profit seeking, while the state concentrates only on major national projects. This, Wan Li said, will be the new Chinese socialist agriculture."

The Chinese are informed of the latest pol-

icy fashion by the appearance of "national models", men and women whose personal achievements are intended to stir the masses to emulation. A recent example was a university student who sprang into a cesspit and died attempting to rescue a drowning peas-

The newest model is Guo Weixiang, a peasant staggeringly rich by Chinese standards, who recently told the local party secretary either to modernize his village or let him do it with his own money. What Guo wants for the village of 1.200 people is running water. "I intend to goad the secretary." he explained recently. "If he really solves the problem of tap water I will do something else for the village."

It is all very different from the spartan Maoist years. Guo's family is already making around \$3.000 a year from planting trees and vegetables on waste ground, perhaps 10 times the national average, and he expects to quintuple it within three years. By then he will be rich enough to lay on running water for all his neighbors.

It would have been unthinkable during the Maoist years for a peasant to have become even somewhat as rich as Guo, even more unthinkable for him to have challenged the party to do its duty.

The modernizing Dengists like everything about Guo: although not young, he attended courses in forestry, a particularly desirable subject in China these days, where years of ruthless tree-felling have led to desiccation and flooding; he has abandoned ordinary farming for a speciality; he has made a lot of money, and is prepared to spend it on local projects. rather than expecting the authorities to pay all the bills.

Further shattering the Maoist dream of rural austerity and egalitarianism - now treated as a recipe for mediocrity - Wan Li praised the peasants for creating the responsibility system." in which they strike individual contracts with the state and keep whatever excess they produce for their own profit.

Away with "leftism." the current codeword for Maoism. Wan Liurged, with its leader-worship, its mass campaigns, and its inevitable shortages, which until recently be disclosed, resulted in 150 million peasants being perpetually short of food.

What is needed, in Wan's opinion, is fewer traditional farmers, dependent on nature's vagaries, and more, better trained, agricultural technicians. The State will limit itself to transportation, energy production and vast irrigation projects beyond the purses and the abilities of local entrepeneurs.

What is bound to be uppopular with peasants is Wan Li's advice on thrift. There should be less money spent on extravagant weddings and funerals. China's rural masses. who are still deeply traditional, might ask. Wan Li what else their new riches are for?

lished by the Law of the Sea Treaty.

# Dhaka shifts emphasis fails to attain economic goals DHAKA, Jan. 17 (R) — Bangladesh. one Judah

of the world's poorest countries, is striving to salvage its mainly agricultural economy by revitalizing flagging industries.

Military ruler Muhammad Ershad said recently the government wanted industry to develop and to complement agriculture. He said industrial policy had been liberalized to attract foreign investment and give the dormant private sector greater freedom.

Gen. Ershad's concern at the ailing economy was echoed by the central bank in a report earlier this month comparing economic indicators for the year which ended in June with those for the previous year.

The report said agricultural production dropped about 0.6 percent after previously rising 7.1 percent, industrial output rose about three percent compared with 8.8 percent before, and the gross domestic product (GDP) rose only 0.9 percent after a 6.1 percent rise the previous year.

Successive crop failures have forced Bang-

charity. Dhaka will have to seek nearly five million tons of food aid this financial year. about two million tons more than last year.

Agriculture has so far remained the prime source of employment because no major industry, either public or private, has grown in the past 11 years since Bangladesh's separation from Pakistan.

Harsh official measures have discouraged investment. The first government under Sheikh Mujibur Rahman nationalized all private industry, including foreign companies, but failed to promote industrial growth with the necessary funds and technology.

Ziaur Rahman announced some steps to promote foreign investment but continued political instability kept investors away.

The present government is making a major effort to woo foreign funds and has allowed a number of foreign banks to open branches to provide funds for new industrial projects.

### S. satellite station for China PEKING. Jan. 17 (AFP) - The United

States is planning to supply China with a ground satellite tracking station to receive transmissions for scientific purposes but which may also have military applications. New China News Agency (NCNA) quoted

the Chinese Academy of Sciences as saying Monday that a contract was signed last month between the Peking government and the American company U.S. Systems and Applied Sciences Corporation to supply a Landsat ground station, and that it would be delivered to China shortly.

The station will enable China to receive information from the U.S. satellite system Landsat on agriculture, oil exploitation. natural gas, mineral resources and other scientific information, the agency said.

But when the question of supplying China with the station came up three years ago. official U.S. sources said that the station's sophisticated equipment, which included

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recorders and computers could be used for military purposes.

The announcement of the contract between China and U.S. Systems and Applied Sciences Corporation, a high technology electronics company, comes just two weeks before U.S. Secretary of State George Shultz's arrival in Peking, His visit will doubtless be dominated by the thorny problems in Sino-American relations.

NCNA, quoting a spokesman for the Space. Science and Technology Center in Peking, gave a long view of the station's scientific applications which include agriculture. the environment, geological structures, and forecasting natural disasters.

The agency gave no indication of the cost or the location of the station, but reliable Western sources said it would probably be situated about 100 kms (65 miles) from

government statistics office shows the country failed to meet almost all its 1982 economic targets.

The report, published in the official Communist Party daily Neuer Deutschland, said direct government-run industry increased its output by 4.3 percent compared with a target 5.1 percent and in the rest of the economy. production was up 3.2 percent against a target 4.6 percent

As revealed by party leader Erich Honecker in his new year's message. national income, the Communist equivalent of gross national product rose by three percent against a target of 4.8 percent.

Average earnings rose in 1982 by three percent to 1.075 marks a month but a four percent rise had been planned.

However, efforts put into increasing exports to deal with the shortage of hard currency are reflected in an export growth of 14 percent, although two thirds of these were to other Soviet bloc states.

### Turkey plans to buy 5m tons of Iran oil

ANKARA. Jan. 17 (R) - Turkey will buy five million tons of oil from Iran this year. costing \$1.1 billion. Turkish Minister of Energy and Technology Fahir liker said at Istanbul airport before leaving on an official visit to Iran.

The minister said that apart from signing the oil purchase agreement, cooperation on other energy issues, mainly natural gas and the oil pipeline, will be discussed.

Turkey has completed feasibility studies. as was decided last September, on both the oil pipeline scheme to send Iranian oil to Europe through Turkey, and natural gas to Turkey. Ilker, accompanied on his trip by a delegation of 150 representatives from the public and private sectors, said he also expects to sign an agreement on the natural gas pipeline.

Iraq and Soviet Union have also shown interest in supplying natural gas to Turkey which at present does not use natural gas.

### Dashing government hopes

### Poles display solidarity in shunning new unions consolidation of labor organization by indus giant steel mill on the outskirts of Warsaw, Critics of the new unions say they are

authorities admit that most Polish workers are refusing to join new government-sanctioned unions that officials hope will replace the outlawed Solidarity labor federa-

"There is a boycott everywhere," said Stanisław Ciosek, minister for trade union affairs. Resistance is greatest in the "strongholds of Solidarity," such as the Baltic Ship-yards in Gdansk where the independent trade union was born in August 1980, he said.

The government suspended Solidarity with a declaration of martial law Dec. 13, 1981, and outlawed it nearly 10 months later with legislation that allows the formation of local unions at more than 40,000 Polish busines-

Only 2,500 unions have been formed since the ban on labor organizations was lifted Jan. 1. So far, they have attracted only a fraction of the 9.5 million members claimed by Solidarity or the four million workers who belonged to the competing trade unions heavily under official influence before the ban.

Committees to organize new unions have formed at 22.000 businesses but their work is going slowly, Ciosek said during a recent interview.

The new unions are attracting more members in the coal fields of southern Poland and at steel mills throughout the nation, he said. Their greatest success has been at the Lenin Steel Works in Nowa Huta, in southern Poland, where 3,000 of the 34,000 workers have joined, he said.

The deputy director for employment at the Lenin plant refused, in a telephone interview. to disclose the number of union members

Zbigniew Kowalski, head of the union formation committee at Warsawa Huta, the

said that only 350 of the plant's 19,500 workers had piedged to join. Solidarity had 8,000 members at the mill and other unions had 2.000 members. "It would be a great success if within two or three months we had 1,000 members," said Kowalski,

Ciosek asserted that Solidarity supporters are conducting an underground campaign against the new unions, using "acts of physical and mental terrorism in some places," but refused to give specific details. Kowalski, head of the Warsawa Huta union committee, reported no threats, but said he had been telephoned by Solidarity activists who "tried

to convince me I was betraying the workers." Although the new unions initially will be limited to local businesses, the law calls for

# U.N.,U.S.split over information sharing

HONOLULU, Jan. 17 (AP) - A United Nations educator and a Reagan administration official appeared divided Monday over the international flow of computerized economic and financial information.

Edward W. Ploman, vice-rector of the United Nations University at Tokyo, told an international communications conference that many governments are concerned about the privacy of their economic information.

On Sunday, W. Scott Thompson, U.S. information agency associate director, told the Pacific telecommunications conference that the Reagan administration favors the unrestricted flow of business information through satellite and computerized data banks.

"Such activities as direct broadcasting and remote sensing via satellites raise important issues about political and economic

from making the kind of political demands that made Solidarity revolutionary. Ciosek predicted that progress in linking the unions by industry will be slow, saying that "people don't trust an over-centralized

unpopular because they do not have the polit-

ical muscle of Solidarity. The unions can

strike only after giving notice, and are barred

union."
Soudarity leader Lech Walesa in a letter to Polish leader Gen. Wojciech Jaruzeleski, said he would cooperate with the government in solving Poland's pressing labor and economic problems only if authorities proclaim an amnesty for Solidarity supporters fired or jailed for their union activities.

sovereignty." Ploman told about 500 rep-

resentatives from 18 countries. Ploman said, "the transborder computer storage of data raises - in addition to con-

cerns about national decision-making and cultural identity - concerns about national security, social policy and the administration of the affairs of the state." Thompson said his government believes

efforts to restrict transborder flow of data should be resisted if there is to be effective management of inter-dependent economies.

We see spreading in the world today protectionist sentiment that includes calls for raising unwarranted barriers against the communication of business data from one country to another," Thompson said Sunday. Protectionist data barriers, like protectionist trade barriers, are counterproductive to our shared goal of creating the climfate for a vital and dynamic world economy."

### takes measures to expand globally

NEW YORK. Jan. 17 (R) — American Telephone and Telegraph Company (AT & T). a household name in the United States is now seeking the same kind of recognition in much of the rest of the world.

The communications giant is counting on a recent agreement to form a joint venture with Philips of the Netherlands to help change its lack of familiarity abroad. George Serpan. AT & T international vice president for market planning, told Reuters in an interview.

AT & T re-entered the international market in 1480 after a 55-year gap caused by the sale of its overseas equipment manufacturing business in 1925.

The move to expand globally comes at a time when the company will have to trim its U.S. domestic operations after one of the most far-reaching anti-monopoly settlements in history.

In an accord 12 months ago with the U.S.

Justice Department. AT & T agreed to divest itself of 22 of its domestic operations in exchange for the dropping of an antimonopoly suit. While Serpan denied that foreign operations were receiving any increased push as a result of restricted

business at home, he added that "as the bell system changes, new markets become more important.

AT & T is also known as the Bell system and is sometimes referred to colloquially in the United States as "Ma Bell." AT & T International, which represents the company in all of its overseas activities, currently operates in 15 countries and employs between 200 and 250 people.

When asked what percentage of AT & T's enormous income — its total revenues amounted to \$59.23 billion in 1981 - came from international operations. Serpan replied: "I don't know if it can be measured. It has got to be less than one percent."

He said however, that AT & T International hopes to be a significant contributor to AT & Ts earnings within 10 years and hopefully within five years we'll be doing all right."

AT & Ts strengths in overseas markets. according to Scrpan, are the high quality of its existing products and technology, along with the company's history as a major player in the telecommunications business for over 100 years.

Serpan added that AT & Ts length of

service in the telephone industry virtually eliminates the recognition problem when dealing with foreign telephone companies. "They are very much aware of the Bell system and its capabilities, so the question there is making the equipment available."

But the AT & T name carries little weight in data processing, a market in which the company is trying to increase its presence both in the United States and abroad.

AT & T had been barred from entering the U.S. data processing market until this year. Its newly created American Bell subsidiary introduced l its first product - an enhanced data communications network service - in June and officially opened for business on Jan. 1.

Serban said that working with Philips. one of the world's largest electronics firms. could go a long way toward alleviating AT & T's recognition problem. . We realized that the big issue to overcome is our lack of market presence and a joint venture could solve that. Naturally we look at Philips to help us in that area." he said. The joint venture with Philips will be in business and selling products before the end of this year.

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# Clausen sees recovery in '84

KUWAIT. Jan. 17 (AP) - World Bank President A.W. Clausen was quoted here Monday as predicting a global recovery in 1984 that may be tempered however by a possible recession in developing countries

who "rely on commodity exports." Clausen, in an interview with the Kuwaiti News Agency, attributed this expected recession to "pressures put on the export prices of these states" — an apparent allusion to the

oil-dependent members of OPEC. "In 1984 the world will witness great economic growth, but it is going to be very difficult." he said in summing up the situa-

Clausen, who conferred earlier in the day with the ruler of Kuwait Sheikh Jaber Al Sabah after arriving from Saudi Arabia said carlier he will be seeking increased aid to World Bank activities from the surplusowning Gulf member states of OPEC.

"The margin of maneuverability for the poor countries is smaller than that of the developed countries." Clausen said, "Those who rely on exporting their products and other commodities face a recession." he added. "And it is difficult for these countries to achieve progress. Therefore, pressures are on their export prices."

Referring to such by-products of current global recession as double-digit unemployment and inflation and slow economic expansion. Clausen said the solution was

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"economic growth." "Such growth will pro-vide relief to the pair which many countries are now experiencing." he said.

Talking to newsmen. Clausen said Saudi Arabia and Kuwait were among the states capable of supporting the world's development process through extending more aid to the World Bank. "The Arab countries can play a bigger role in the World Bank through increasing their share." he added.

The bank's lending role "is becoming more difficult" Clausen said as a result of the adverse international economic situation. Replying to newsmen's questions Clausen denied that the United States had abandoned the World Bank and the International

But, he added, he bad repeatedly criticized the United States for its "dwindling support" of the bank over the past few years. "We are doing our utmost to pressure the United States to change this policy." he said.

Clausen said the solution to the heavy indebtedness of such countries as Mexico and Brazil lay "in the immediate channeling of money from surplus nations, such as the United States, Japan. Kuwait and European

After Kuwait Clausen said he is visiting Egypt for a first hand evaluation of Egyptian development needs.

## Freight rates record gains

LONDON, Jan. 17 (AFP) - Small advances were again made in the North Atlantic grain trade on the freight market last week, both to Europe and Japan, although the improvement was somewhat selective, with certain sizes benefiting more than

Rumors of Soviet inquiry for tonnage to lift South American grain again surfaced, but failed to materialize.

North American grain ports were again busy: Europe also provided a wide selection of employment, but elsewhere reported grain fixtures were few.

Fertilizer fixing remained at a steady level, mostly thanks to Indian government charterers: Sugar and coal movements gave limited backing too. Overall, it was generally known that a number of fixtures were done, but many of them were not openly reported.

Time-chartering was a little more lively toward the end of the week, with several vessels believed fixed out of the Far East, mostly from Japan, by Japanese and South Korean charterers, at cheap rates.

Out of the U.S. Gulf grain rates to Japan varied. The \$16.20 a ton paid to a 50,000 tonner, up 45 cents, was \$4.20 above the low for 1982 and the highest since last June.

On the other hand, a 33,000 tonner

booked in the same trade, accepted \$17.25 or 25 cents down on mid-December. In the trans-Atlantic grain trade (U.S. / Europe). 60,000 tonners obtained \$8.50 ton, in a flurry of late fixing, a \$2 improvement on the rate paid in December and the highest for seven

There were sharp rises in grain rates from U.S. Gulf to Morocco where \$16.25 ton was paid to a Greek 20,000 tonner, \$1.75 more than at the turn of the year, there were also rumors that \$1,35 more had been paid in the U.S. Gulf, Egypt grain trade, compared with last business in September, when a 25,000 tonner drew \$25 ton. But no confirmation was available.

Chinese charterers maintained a steady presence in the time charter sector, booking tonnage from Europe and Cuba. The South Korean charterers were said to have paid \$8,000 a day for a vessel for U.S. Gulf Mediterranean trading, but no further details were known. But it was confirmed that the Korean Shipping Corporation had paid \$6,400 day to a 64,000 tonner for a U.S. Gulf

Along with the Far East region, South Africa is now another area where tonnage is abundant and willing to accept low rates in order to escape.

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BONN (AFP) - Volkswagen Monday cut the price of its "Beetle" car by 500 marks (\$200) to 9,395 marks (\$4,000). The vehicle more than 20 million of which have been made since World War II, is the only West German car selling at under 10,000 marks, the firm said. Meanwhile, Audi announced producing 325,000 vehicles last year including 166,000 Audi 80 cars. Company turnover was 6.1 billion marks (\$2.5 billion) against previous 5.8 billion marks (\$2.4 billion).

PEKING (AFP) - Deputy Premier Wan Li Monday said there were "broad prospects" for economic and technical exchanges between China and France, the official New China News Agency said. Wan Li, filling in

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for Premier Zhao Ziyang who is currently on an African tour, made the statement to a visiting delegation of French senators headed by Senate Vice-President Robert Laucour-

HONG KONG (AFP) - As the world's leading garment exporter, Hong Kong is trying to break into affluent Japan where 89 percent of the fashion and apparel market is made up of domestic products. The Hong Kong Trade Development Council (HKTDC) Monday announced a "Hong Kong in Tokyo" promotional fashion tour of Japan for next month in trying to penetrate the second largest market in the capitalist world after the United States.

HANOI (AFP) - A Victnamese and a Belgian bank have signed Hanoi's first bilateral agreement to reschedule a part of its estimated \$1.6 billion debt to the west, diplomatic sources said here Monday. Societe Generale de Banque, Belgium's largest private bank, signed the accord here with the Vietnamese Foreign Trade Bank on Dec. 15 to reschedule a debt of 550 million Belgian francs (\$11.5 million).

WARSAW (AFP) - Poland expects to produce more sugar than at any time in 15 years, PAP news agency said in a report on the latest harvest. Some 1,835 million tons of sugar have been produced and another 100,000 tons of sugar beet from the 1982 crop await processing.

## Jobless rate declines 1.1% in France

PARIS, Jan. 17 (AP) - France's unemployment rate fell 1.1 percent in December to a seasonally adjusted 2.009,000 people. compared with 2.031,100 in November, the labor ministry reported Monday.

The December decline confirmed the downward movement which began in November when the seasonally adjusted number of job-seekers dropped 0.7 percent from October.

On an unadjusted basis, the December unemployment rate was 1.4 percent below that of November at 2.131.400, the ministry

The December unadjusted figure was 5.8 percent above that of December 1981 and represented 9.2 percent of France's active population.

The ministry said the number of new job offers in December increased 11.5 percent from November at 108,700. The unadjusted total was unchanged at 43,600.

### Prague, Kabul sign loan accord

ISLAMABAD, Jan. 17 (Agencies) -Czechoslovakia and Afghanistan signed agreements in Kabul for a \$30 million credit to Afghanistan and increased trade between them. Radio Kabul reported.

The radio, monitored here, said the credit would be part of \$90 million soft loan that Prague in 1980 agreed to give Afghanistan. It

said trade between the two is expected to rise 20 percent from last year, but gave no details, Czechoslovakia will supply Afghanistan with engineering goods, consumer products and equipment for a content works, a hydroelec-

tric power station and coal mining. Afghanistan will supply cotton and other agricultural produce and raw materials.

### Indonesia's income from oil dips 19%

JAKARTA, Jan. 17 (R) - Indonesia's gross income from oil exports in calendar 1982 dropped about 19 percent from the previous year, according to Bank of Indonesia Governor Rachmat Saleh.

The 1982 figure was \$13.5 billion against \$16.63 billion in 1981, he told commercial bankers in a weekend speech reported by the national news agency Antara.

The value of liquified natural gas (LNG) exports rose in the same period to \$2.42 billion from 2.27 billion, he added.

Last month Indonesia said it hopes to raise oil production this year to 1.41 million barrels per day from the current OPFC ceiling of 1.3 million.

### Belgium to lend India \$7 million

NFW DFLHI, Jan. 17 (AP) - Belgium will loan India 350 million francs (\$7 million) this year under an agreement signed here Monday, Most of the money will be used to buy Belgian goods.

The agreement signed by Belgium's external relations minister. Leo Tindemans. and Indian finance minister. Pranab Mukherjee, calls for 290 million francs (\$5.8 million) to be spent on Belgian products and 60 million francs (\$1.2 million) for India's debt relief. The loan is interest free and repayable

### Financial Rounday.

# Dollar rates rise slightly

By J.H. Hammond

JEDDAH. Jan. 17 - The dollar rose slightly against most of the major world currencies on the Monday European exchanges. The British pound, however, was stronger on the opening markets and traded at the 1.5930 levels at one stage compared with 1.5820 on Friday.

Prospects of an oil price agreement by OPEC in the coming Vienna talks as well as a strong defense of the pound by Mrs. Thatcher over the weekend ensured that sterling recovered some of the lost ground it had lost to the dollar. Dealers expect some further rises as short positions are covered.

On the Monday money markets. Eurodollar deposit rates firmed slightly by around 1/16 percent to trade at just over the 9 percent level for the one-year fund and 8 3/4 - 8% for the one-month tenor. The lack of movement on the U.S. discount rate front by the U.S. Federal Reserve Board has now began to cause some confusion on whether the "Fed" will really take such a step after

The markets have already discounted the dollar's exchange value for such an eventuality and the small rises seen on the opening European Monday markets merely reflect the covering of some short dollar positions.

On the bullion front, gold and silver prices rose sharply Monday to take gold prices to the the threshold of the \$500 an ounce level. The precious metal traded at the \$498 level despite some initial cautiousness when the markets opened for

trading. Dealers feel that gold will continue to benefit from the ongoing confusions in the money markets over interest rate direc-

Silver prices were firmer at \$12.98 \$13.03 an ounce — rising by nearly 40 cents over Friday closing levels. Some Solatility is expected in silver prices until the new platform \$13.00 level is accepted by the mar-

On the local bourses, rival deposit levels were still depressed around the 4¼ - 4¾ percent levels for the short tenors and 6½ - 7¾ percent for the longer periods. Again most dealings concentrated in short-dated funds as managers awaited fresh developments on the wider interest rate front but institutions reported more borrowing interest from corporations at such low levels.

The Bahrain based OBU's were more active Monday and some transactions were recorded in the 2 and 3 month periods at around 434 - 51/8 percent levels. Spot riyal/dollar rates rose to 3.4402-05 in line with the dollar's strengthening in Europe but volumes were thin.

In Europe, the French franc lost another 100 points to trade at 6.6970 levels and some slight Bank of France support was seen by the markets. The German mark rose but later fell back on profit-taking to trade at 2.3600 levels while the Swiss franc was easier at 1.9390 levels. The yen was mixed at 230.40 levels but generally helpedby the news that Japan was seriously considering voluntary trade restrictions.

### Help to prod economy, U.S. tells allies

PARIS. Jan. 17 (AP) - The United States is recommending that major nations which have inflation and interest rates under control. "Japan. West Germany and Britain and some others" join it in cautious economic expansion to stimulate the world economy, a senior U.S. official has said.

Beryl Sprinkel. under-secretary of the treasury for international monetary affairs. said the expansion is needed to stimulate world trade. That, he said, would provide markets for both developing and rich nations. reducing the debt burden of the poor countries which is threatening the world monetary system, and increasing jobs in the big nations. It is time for the U.S. economy to begin moving upward, and I think it's happening." he told a press conference.

With the world financial system facing a crisis over debt repayment problem. Sprinkel said the U.S. administration considered it was "critically important that the International Monetary Fund have sufficient resources" to help failing nations meet their debts. It was thus strongly supporting a substantial increase in the IMF reserves this year, and will "very aggressively" explain the need to Congress and the Senate, he said.

The IMF quotas and economic growth are then main topics at a three-day series of meetings which started here Sunday, culminating Tuesday with finance ministers and central bank governors of the group of ten leading Western industrial nations. Sprinkel said the administration's aim was

to get congressional approval "by the end of the year" for increase in both the U.S. IMF quota and its commitment to the General Agreement to Borrow (GAB) among the ten.

The last quota increase was set to last until the end of 1485. Sprinkel said it was clear more funds were needed before then to cope with the debt situation, but said no one could predict exactly when the IMF might run dangerously short of funds.

The ten are expected to reach nearcomplete agreement here, with the final

accord to be settled by the IMFs interim committee meeting in Washington Feb. 10-11. They are also to make the GAB funds available to back up the IMF in what Sprinkel described as a confidence-building gesture.

Sprinkel would not say what increase the administration would support in the meetings Monday and Tuesday, only that it would have to be a figure that could be realistically presented to Congress. He stressed the IMF quotas and the GAB should be considered together, indicating support for a smaller IMF increase than European members of the

They suggest a 50 percent in national quotas of special drawing rights (SDRs) from the current 62 billion to around 100 billion with the GAB to rise from 6.4 to between 15 and 20 billion SDRs.

SDRs are an accounting currency calculated on a "basket" of dollars, deutschemarks, yen, pounds sterling and French francs, currently equal about \$1,10. Countries may draw on their quotas to borrow foreign currencies, and the IMF can lend further resources from its stock to avoid them defaulting on loans, but against stringent conditions to restructure their economies.

### Swiss trade deficit narrows in December

BERN. Jan. 17 (R) - Switzerland's trade deficit narrowed to 225.9 million francs in December from 442.3 million in November and 240, .4 million in December 1981, the federal customs office said.

Imports were 5.15 billion francs in December against 5.27 billion in November and 4.95 billion in December 1981. Exports totaled 4.92 billion francs in December after 4.83 billion in November and 4.71 in December 1981, the customs office said.

In real terms this represents a 0.2 percent year-on-year increase in imports and a 9.6 percent fall in exports, it said.

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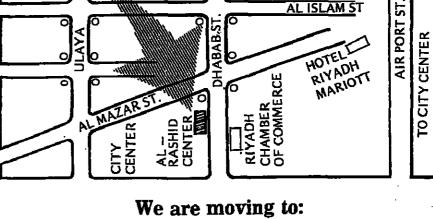
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To end eight-game losing streak

# Sonics lower the boom on Kings threatens to

NEW YORK. Jan. 17 (AP) — Jack Sikma's ankle is feeling better, and so are the Seattle Supersonics.

The All-Star center played 21 minutes Sunday night, his longest appearance since he was injured Dec. 28. and while he had only nine points and seven rebounds, he was right in the middle of a rally that helped Seattle break an eight-game losing streak with a 111-96 victory over Kansas City.

The Sonics trailed 46-42 at halftime, but they pulled into a 58-58 tie and then outscored the Kings 20-6 in the last 6 1/2 minutes of the third period. Sikma had five rebounds in the final 5 1/2 minutes of the quarter to key Seattle's fast break, while Lonnie Shelton had eight of his 20 points during the rally.

In the only other National Basketball Association games Sunday night. Milwaukee edged Golden State 109-108 and Utah beat

# Achieving a goal by an armed

ROME, Jan. 17 (AFP) - An Italian football team played out the second half of a league match on Sunday under threat of death if they won.

At halftime during the Fourth Division game in the Campania region between Casoria and Bancoroma of Rome, five men armed with pistols stormed into the Bancoroma dressing room and warned the players: "If you don't lose, we'll gun you down at the end of the match."

There had been no goals in the first half, but the shocked Bancoroma players conceded a life-saving goal in the second half and Casoria won 1-0.

Elsewhere in Italy, supporters of Third Division club Salerno staged a unique protest to draw attention to their dissatisfaction with the team's performances.

The normally vociferous fans sat in silence throughout the match against Livorno, explaining in leaflets distributed before the match that they refused to support players who thought it beneath them to play for the club. But their protest went almost unnoticed as the match produced little to cheer and ended in a dull 0-0 draw.

In the First Division England striker Tevor Francis, now playing for Sampdoria of Genoa, has been told by doctors that he will be out of action for at least a further six weeks.

Francis played only three league games for the Italian club after his transfer from Manchester City, before badly pulling a leg muscle on Sept. 26. The injury proved worse than was originally thought, and Francis is undergoing treatment in Turin.

At the weekend, Francis watched Smpdoria hold Italian champions Juventus to a 1-1 draw, with Irish international Liam Brady posing a major problem for the Turin club, who let him go at the end of last season to make room for French international Michel Platini.

Francis commented after the game: "I can't understand how Juventus could sign Platini in place of Brady, Liam is so much better.

Meanwhile, Barcelona, who meet England's European champions Aston Villa in the first-leg of the European Supercup final on Wednesday, scrambled a lackluster 1-0 win over Seville in the Spanish soccer league Sunday night.

West German Bernd Schuster fired the 75th-minute winner which kept Barcelona still without their Argentine World Cup player Diego Maradona who has viral hepatitis - third in the First Division. Leaders Real Madrid beat Real Zaragoza 1-0 with a goal from Francisco Pineda just before halftime to stay top.

Athletic Bilbao dropped to second after being held to a 1-1 draw at home by lowly Real Valladolid. Uruguay's Jorga Da Silva put Valladolid ahead after 15 minutes but Manuel Sarabia grabbed an equalizers seven minutes from time. Athletico Madrid moved into fifth place after thrashing Celta De Vigo 4-0 with all their goals coming in the second

Goalkeeper Neil Freeman, who has been sent off twice this season for professional fouls, is to give up football and become a policeman.

### San Diego 115-111. Gus Williams also helped in Seattle's

second-half rally, scoring 20 of his game-high 24 points in the final two periods. His brother Ray led Kansas City with 20 points.

Eddie Johnson, who leads the Kings with a 21-point average, scored 10 points in the final five minutes of the first half, when Kansas City outscored the Sonics 18-6. Johnson. however, failed to score in the second half and finished with 12 points.

Bucks 109. Warriors 108: Milwaukee rallied from a 20-point deficit to beat Golden State as Junior Bridgeman hit a 20-foot jumper with 12 seconds to go and Sidney Moncrief scored 34 points.

Joe Barry Carroll, who scored 36 points. tipped in a missed shot with 18 seconds left to give the Warriors a 108-107 lead. Bridgeman then hit his game-winning shot after a timeout and followed that with a steal at the other

Golden State built a 62-42 lead late in the second quarter before settling for a 65-51 halftime lead. The Bucks cut the deficit to 79-75 after three quarters. but Golden State still led 106-99 with 2:53 left. Milwaukee then scored the next eight points for a onepoint lead before Carroll's tip-in.

Jazz 115, Clippers 111: Utah hit eight free throws in the final 43 seconds, five of them by Rickey Green. to beat San Diego.

Utah got 22 points from Ben Poquette and 21 from guards Green and Darrell Griffith. while rookie Terry Cummings scored a season-high 34 points for the Clippers.

San Diego fought back from a 13-point deficit in the third quarter to cut Utah's lead on a three-point play by Cummings. Then the Jazz hit eight free throws in 10 attempts after



STUNNING SHOT: Real Madrid's Francisco Pineda (right) effects a stunning shot during a goalmouth melee in front of the Real Zaragoza goal. Zaragoza keeper Vitaller dives in vain to halt the ball from traveling goalwards as defender Morgado rushes in to help. Real Madrid won the Spanish First Division tie 1-0 on this goal Sunday.

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### Kumar, Sohail bowl Tractors to victory their assigned overs.

By a Staff Writer

JEDDAH. Jan. 17 - Big victories were the order of the day in the Benson & Hedges Cricket League with the bowlers cornering the limelight last Thursday.

Zahid Tractors' Kumar and Sohail were outstanding in their side's 34-run verdict over National Guards Hospital, Tractors, batting first, compiled a modest 120 for five in their allotted overs with Mahmood (29) Zubair (27) and Irshad (32 not out) getting the bulk

The target looked within easy reach of National Guards when they began their chase in earnest. With Stewart (20) and Smith (43) battling it out in the middle, the National Guards had things going much their way.

But National Guards' hopes of bypassing the Tractors' tally was shattered by Kumar. Sohail and Jaffar. The trio. after the exit of Stewart and Smith, ran through the remaining opposition without conceding a run as the National Guards slumped to 86. Kumar was the most successful of the three with a haul of three for 12. while Sohail and Jaffar shared four wickets apiece for seven and 23 respectively.

A fine all round show by Anis paved the way for Shalimar to register a facile sixwicket win over Petromin. Petromin. making the first use of the wicket after winning the

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toss, slid to 44 for four after eight overs. But Pervaiz (39) and Farid (21) staged a brief revival, and Shakir blasted a quick 18 to take the total to 113 for nine in 22 overs. Anis, Inam and Ambia took two wickets each at the of six. 19 and seven runs respectively.

Anis, than, cracked an unbeaten 24 as Shalimar easily overhauled Petromin's meagre total. But before Anis' innings. Shafqat (32) and Habib (32) laid the foundation

for the victory. 1395 emerged victorious by a six-wicket margin against IAL, opting apting to bat first. got off on a bright note with Ghazi (22) and Muzzaffar (23) setting a brisk rate. But first change bowler. Mellish, who finished with four for 15, brought about a middle-order collapse. However. Ushaq (14 not out) and Zaidi (27) pushed the score past the three-

figure mark as IAL ended with 128 for nine in

### Black Hawks fly past Red Wings

NEW YORK. Jan. 17 (AP) — Al Secord's 13th power play goal of the season capped a three-goal spree in three minutes of the second period Sunday night as the Chicago Black Hawks beat the Detroit Red Wings 4-2 game. In the other match of the day, Paul Gagne and Brent Ashton scored within 47 seconds of each other in the third period to

in an action-packed National Hockey League

lift the New Jersey Devils to a 5-3 win over the Los Angeles Kings.

Downhill canceled

SCHRUNS. Austria. Jan. 17 (AFP)

(15) offering some resistance.

deliveries.

National team bosses voted to cancel the postponed women's Alpine Skiing World Cup Downhill race here Monday - against the advice of the organizers. The organizers claimed that the atmosphereic conditions did not justify the cancellation of the race. Saying that there had even been a slight improvement overnight, and the five-member jury voted 3-2 in favor of the race being run.

Japanese triumphs
SAPPORO. Japan. Jan. 17 (AFP) —
Japan's up-and-coming Masau Nagaoka outjumped a field of 74 competitors to clinch a surprise victory in the Sapporo Television Cup International (90-meters) Ski Jump competition here Sunday. The 20-year-old collected 238.9 points from his two jumps of 107 and 106 meters respectively, beating the widely-favored Austrian Manfred Steiner into second place.

Irish boxers for U.S. DUBLIN. Eire, Jan. 17 (AFP) - Ireland's amateur boxing team, with three wins and one draw in four home fixtures so far this season, are to have a two-match tour of the United States in March. Provisional fight dates are March 6 in North Carolina and March 12 in Georgia.

Italian squad tops
BREUIL CERVINIA. Italy. Jan. 17 (AFP) - Guido Sartore and Pasquale Gesuito of Italy, who won the first two-man Bobsleigh World Cup event last week, had another taste of victory here Monday when they were in the winning Italian four-man bob team which won the opening event of the World Cup season. The event was to be run over four races, but was reduced to two when bad atmospheric conditions and heavy snow on the piste caused the cancellation of Sunday's first two races.

# Black group assassinate Windies rebels

BRIDGETOWN, Barbados, Jan. 17 (AP) - A black South African political group has warned that West Indian athletes and entertainers performing in that racially divided country could become targets for assassination, a local newspaper reported Sunday.

Ike Mafole, chief representative of the Pan Africanist Congress, told the Sunday Sun correspondent in New York that such individuals would be declared "enemies of the liberation struggle, thus marking them for elimina-

The current South African tour of a rebel West Indian cricket team has provoked angry reaction in the Caribbean, where regional governments, condemn South Africa's policy of racial separation.

The newspaper said the Pan Africanist Congress would meet in the next two months to determine what action it would take regarding the West Indian cricketers. It quoted Mafole as saying that if the tour continued, one option would be "to form assassination squads to deal with the enemies and the collaborators."

Mafole said in the interview he had warned the Barbados mission at the United Nations of his group's position regarding the West Indian players, and would repeat that warning on a visit planned for next month to several Caribbean countries.

Meanwhile, another Caribbean state repudiated the rebel West Indian cricket team tour Sunday. Premier Kennedy Simmonds of St. Kitts-Nevis called on all Caribbean governments "to consult as a matter of

urgency on the action to be taken." This is a sad day in our long struggle against the oppressive and racist system of apartheid which we strongly condemn," Simmonds said. He added that his government "deplotes the callous participation of Caribbean sportsmen in this degrading act of

adventurism. Meanwhile. Test wicketkeeper David Murray joined the sanction-busting West Indies cricket side Sunday and goes straight to work, replacing the injured Emerson

Trotman suffered a suspected broken finger in his side's tour-opening victory Saturday against Western Province.

"It's just as well he got here so soon. It's bad news for us to have an injury this early but at least we have a specialist replacement and believe me David is a very good wicketkeeper indeed," said West Indies captain Lawrence Rowe.

Murray's action of joining the rebels has produced immediate reactions. Murray will be barred from playing any further district cricket matches in South Australia because of

His participation in the South African tour contravenes a by-law of the South Australian Cricket Association which refuses to recognize participation in an unauthorized tour match. Association secretary Richard Watplay in district cricket this year.

Veit was associated in two useful partner-

ship, the first with Morris (23) with both put-

ting on 53 for the first wicket, and later with

Hawken, 44 for the second, as 1395 cruised

toward victory. Watsons iced the win with two superb sixers, slammed off consecutive

Pak Saudi's Shahbaz hit a magnificent 74.

the highest individual score so far in the

league, to lead his side to 149 for four in their

prescribed overs against Rangers. Shahbaz's

knock was embellished by a six and six hits to

the fence. Nasim (44) was the other major contributor. Hanif Patel proved Rangers'

most successful bowler with three for 24. And

then Pak Saudi on the bowling of Nasim, who

finished with four for 19, shot out the

Rangers for 109 with Patel (19) and Rana

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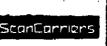
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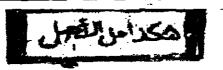


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# **Woodley** Sparks Dolphins' charge

NEW YORK, Jan. 17 (AP) - Miami shot down San Diego's vaunted offense and buried the Chargers 34-13 to advance to the American Conference finals, while the Dallas Cowboys outlasted Green Bay Packers 37-26 in a wide-open National Conference game in the National Football League playoffs Sun-

With their victory, the Dolphins advanced to next Sunday's AFC championship game against the New York Jets, who beat the Los Angeles Raiders 17-14 Saturday. The Cowboys will play in the NFC championship game next Saturday against the Washington Redskins, 21-7 victors Saturday over the Minnesota Vikings.

Next week's winners will play in Super Bowl XVII in Pasadena, Calif., on Jan. 30.

The Dolphins took advantage of an early wave of San Diego turnovers and rode David Woodley's two touchdown passes and a relentless ground game to victory over the Chargers. Woodley completed 17 of 22 passes for 195 yards, while San Diego quarterback Dan Fours, under pressure from start to. finish, hit on 15 of 34 attempts for 191 yards. He was intercepted five times and sacked three times for 23 yards in losses in his worst game of the season.

The Dolphines grabbed a 24-0 lead, thanks to an interception by cornerback Gerald Small of a Fouts pass and consecutive kickoff fumbles by Hank Bauer and James Brooks, and never allowed San Diego to seriously threaten them.

Dallas struck for 14 first-half points in 14 seconds but needed quarterback Danny's fourth-quarter touchdown pass and Drew Pearson's surprise bomb to Tony Hill to beat the Packers.

Dallas built a 20-7 halftime lead on two Rafael Septien field goals and two touchdowns in the first 78 seconds. Timmy Newsome scored and only 14 seconds later Dennis Thurman picked off a Lynn Dickey pass and returned it 39 yards for a touchdown.

The favored Cowboys still were in the lead at the end of the third quarter when the Packers threw a scare into them in the fourth period before succumbing. Wide receiver James Lofton dashed 71 yards for a touchdown. Then the Packers drove Dallas back in eight plays, capped by his 7-yard touchdown; pass to tightend Doug.

The Packers almost bridged the gap, but Dallas came right back when Drew Pearson, a former high school quarterback, passed to tightend Robert Newhouse, who plunged in for a a touchdown.

### Korchnoi gains first win

WUK AAN ZEE, Netherlands, Jan. 17. (AFP) - Zoltan Ribli of Hungary, Krunosla Hubak of Yugoslavia and Ulf Andersson of Sweden were joint leaders of the Hoogovens International Chess Tournament after Sunday's third-round matches.

Pre-event favorite Viktor Korchnoi scored his first win Vlonday. After shock defeats in the first and second rounds, the Swiss-based Soviet exile, playing with the black pieces, defeated Jonathan Speelman of Britain.

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LOS ANGELES, Jan. 17 (AP) — Amold Palmer's gallant bid to win a title fell apart over the last nine holes and Gil Morgan, with a closing 68, scored his second consecutive

victory Sunday in the Glen Campbell-Los Angeles Open Golf Tournament. Morgan, playing in something reaching solitude in comparison to Palmer's massive gallery who thrilled and then agonized over Palmer's shifting fortunes, posted a 270 total.

While the victory belonged to Morgan, the gallery belonged to Palmer, the 53-year-old golfer who ranks as the most popular fighter the game has produced.

dependable No. 1. made sure of King's Cup

Group "B" victory against Austria with a

Mottram's 52-minute destruction of the Austrian. followed a brisk 6-2. 6-2 victory by

20-year-old Jeremy Bates, who beat Klaus

Oberparleiter. That gave Britain a winning

2-0 lead. Then Buster continued his successful new

partnership with Andrew Jarrett to win the

doubles 6-4, 6-4 against Reininger and Hans

Britain's second success in a week against

Austrians - they won 2-1 in Vienna last

Sunday — plus the midweek victory against

the Soviet Union at Huddersfield. has put

them in with a chance of reaching the playoffs

Moscow on Thursday followed by a home-tic

against the holders. West Germany. in Craw-

ley next Sunday, to complete their group

They have to play the Soviet Union in

in Stockholm in two weeks time.

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crushing 6-1, 6-2 win over Reininger in

14 strokes under par, and added this title to

the Tuscon Open crown he won a week ago.

### artina ousts Hanika for title unforced errors, and lost it on the third match point with an unforced backband error. Meanwhile. Buster Mottram. Britain's

HOUSTON. Jan. 17 (AP) - Top-seeded Martina Navratilova wavered only briefly in the second set Sunday before winning her second straight title of the year with 6-3. 7-6 (7-5) victory over Sylvia Hanika in the final of the \$150,000 Virginia Slims Houston Tennis Tournament.

Gil Morgan .. swells his purse

The victory was worth \$28,000 for Martina, who won for the 100th time in 103 matches. West German Hanika. the No. 10 ranked women's player in the world. had to settle for the \$14,000 second prize for the second week to Navratilova.

Navratilova needed only 44 minutes to defeat Hanika 6-1 6-1 last week in the final of the tournament stop at Washington. but the 23-year-old challenger offered much more competition in Sunday's finale.

After Navratilova had broken Hanika in the third game of the second set and moved to a 4-3 lead. Hanika broke back in the eighth game on two straight errors by Navratilova. To that point. Navratilova had lost only nine points in eight service games.

Hanika's challenge ended in the tiebreakers where she fell behind 6-4, mostly on who last won on the PGA tour 10 years back:

They came by the thousands to see the man

Palmer, seeking to become the oldest man ever to win on the PGA tour, played his back nine in four-over-par 39 and finished with a 72 that left him at 275, five strokes back.

Still. he was in title contention for 63 holes and finished with his best performance outside the seniors' ranks - in several years. Lanny Wadkins. beaten by Morgan in a playoff a week ago, again tied for second. This time. Wadkins had a closing 70 and finished at 272, two strokes off the pace.

He was tied with Gibby Gilbert and Mark McCumber, who dropped out of sole possession of second place when he made his only bogey of the day on the 18th hole. McCumber had a closing 70 and Gilbert shot 69. George Archer was next at 70-273.

Tom Watson, the defending champion here as well as the current U.S. and British Open titleholder, once had a share of the top spot, but lost two shots to par over the home nine and fell back. He finished with a 70 and was tied at 274 with Joe Inman. Fuzzy Zoeller and Andy North. Inman closed up with a 67. four-under-par on the 6.655-yard Rancho Park Municipal Course. North had a 69. Zoeller 711.

PGA champion Ray Floyd completed his first start of the two with a 66 and, at 276. was tied with Lee Trevino, who recorded his third 67 of the week. Masters champion Craig Stadler was 67-278.

Palmer and Morgan were among the seven men, who either led or shared the lead over the last 18 holes. One by one they fell away. with Morgan posting his sixth career victory with a 15-foot birdie putt on the 10th hole. The victory was worth \$54,000 and gave him \$108,000 for two weeks work. The victory also gave a clean record to Morgan, who is undefeated in two starts.

All-America Games until 1988, and that date

### Ebba strides away with Houston Marathon Kenya will not host the on-and-off fourth

HOUSTON. Jan. 17 (AP) - Ethiopia's Hailu Ebba won the 11th annual Houston-Tenneco Marathon, finishing the 26-mile. 385-yard (42 km) race three seconds ahead of defending champion Benji Durden.

Ebba crossed the finish line in 2:12:17 to take the \$15,000 prize. His time was 1:06 slower than the record set here last year by Durden. Norway's Ingrid Kristiansen won the women's championship in 2:33:27, shattering the course record set in 1981 by Patti Catalano by two minutes. Defending champion American Laurie Binder finished second

at 2:33:36. Former Rice University All-American Marty Froelick, participating in his first Marathon, was third in the men's competition at 2:12:17. Midde Hamrin of Sweden finished third in the women's race with 2:35:06.

A record 3.500 runners from 39 states and 10 countries participated in the event. Agapius Masong, of Tanzania, finished fourth at 2:13:07, follwed by Americans Mike Layman and Herb Wills at 2:13:18. Finishing seventh was Martii Kiilholma. Fin-

land, 2:13:35, followed by Oeyvind Dahl. Norway, 2:13:53. In the women's competition, Christa Vahlensieck, of West Germany was seventh at 2:39:09.

Meanwhile. Daley Thompson. the decathaion world record-holder, had to settle for second best Sunday in his last appearance in Britain for three months.

The 24-year-old Olympic. European and Commonwealth champion, competed in the shot for his club. Essex. in a four-sided indoor match at Wood Green. London.

He was in good form, putting the shot 15.29 meters, which is only sixteen centimeters short of his indoor best. However. the 24-year-old Mark Aldridge from Haringey, a shot specialist, proved too powerful and won the event with a fine effort of 16.30 meters.

Thompson plans to spend the next three months in America training for the summer season. His main target will be to add the world championship decathalon crown to his three other major titles, as well as becoming the first man to top 9.000 points in the tendiscipline event.

53-3 lead but his natural gambling instinct

made him careless on a brown. He missed and

the 25-year-old Londoner polished off the four remaining reds and finished with a clear-

Werbeniuk knew the cards were stacked against him and the rapid potting that

brought him a 76 break in the first was the

best of the match until he pipped it by five in the 10th. suddenly deteriorating with his

poor position play.

Winner Davis, who leaves for Bahrein

Monday for exhibition matches with Terry

Griffiths, was well satisfied to be back on title

form. He said: "Sometimes you can only play

as well as your opponent will let you." It was

certainly kept tight in the early stages of the

match by the bulky Canadian who earned

Steve Davis beat Bill Werbeniuk 15-103.

91-7. 63-25. 17-76. 77-42. 71-13. 1-107.

51-60, 68-15, 0-81, 53-43, 59-54, 65-29,

10,000-pounds for defeat.

Davis emerges tops in Lada Snooker vidual victory was nine months ago in the Yamaha at Derby, played with a calculating coolness that brought him a string of crowns

WARRINGTON, England, Jan. 17 (AFP) - Steve Davis of Plumstead, the Lada Classic Spooker favorite, showed no mercy against Canadian Bill Webeniuk, in the race for the top prize of 16.000-pounds at Warrington Sunday night.

The Canadian, an underdog who became the crowd's favorite with his buccaneer style. took too many risks and lost the final 9-5. Davis, whose last major tournament indi-

depends on whether a partly Chinese funded sports complex is ready. Culture and Social Service Minister Stanley Oloitiptip said in Nairobi. Kenya originally agreed to stage the Games in 1982, but had to put the tournament back until 1483 because of inadequate

facilities. Later the Games were rescheduled again for 1486, but Oloitiptip told the official Kenya news agency that projections showed the new stadium on the outskirts of Nairobi would still not be ready in 1986.

> The expense of hosting the multi-sport international festival has deterred other countries from stepping in with alternative venues. Oloitiptip, speaking at a briefing with visiting Chinese State Councillor Gu Mu. said Kenya was committed to hosting the Games. Gu ureed the Kenyan envernmen Chinese experts on site maximum cooperation and assistance if the project was to be realized in time.

> The sports complex has been hit by soaring costs of materials, chiefly brought about by the third devaluation of the Kenya shilling in two years. On revision, the original estimated cost of 660 million Kenya shillings (some \$55 million) may more than double.

# **Enyeart shatters**

SHERBROOKE, Quebec, Jan. 17 (R) -American Mark Enyeart set a world indoor record for 600 meters with a time of one minute 16.61 seconds at an international athletics meet Sunday night. Enyeart's time beat the previous record of 1.17.20 set by Spain's Coleman Trabado last February.

Gregar Hagmann was third in 1:19.10." It's a good indication of how your training is going," Enyeart said later." I know now that I must be doing something right." In the men's 1,000 meters, Kenyan Sost -henes Bitok's bid to break the world record of

2:13.56. American mark Belger took second in 2:21.67 and Bitok's compatriot Ed Keoch was third in 2:23,60.

meters in 2:44.10 ahead of Canada's Diana Richburg in 2:44.84 and another Canadian, Brit VicRoberts, in 2:45.14. American Louise Ritter won the women's high jump with a leap of 1.88 meters with Britain's Barbara Simmonds second in 1.80 meters and Canada's Carole Ann Leslie third in 1.75.

### two years ago. The ex-world champion won the last four frames in-a-row and was never behind world record throughout the match from the first frame. The excited crowd, which had topped 20,000 for the week's play, expected Werbeniuk to bring the match to 6-6. He had raced to a

Another American runner, Anthony Blair, was second in 1:18.41 and Switzerland's

Britain's Jo White won the women's 1,000

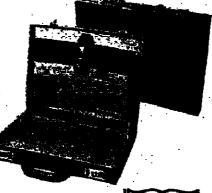
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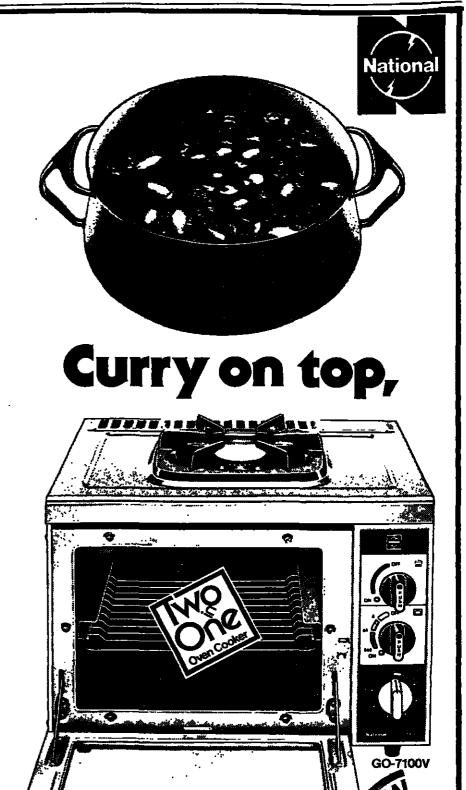
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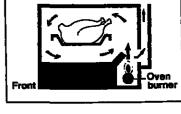


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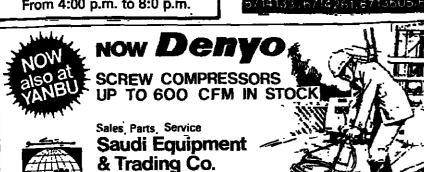


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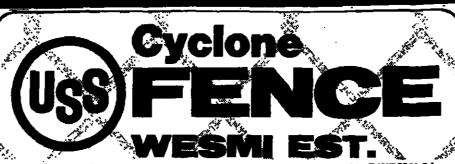
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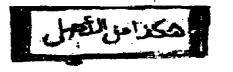
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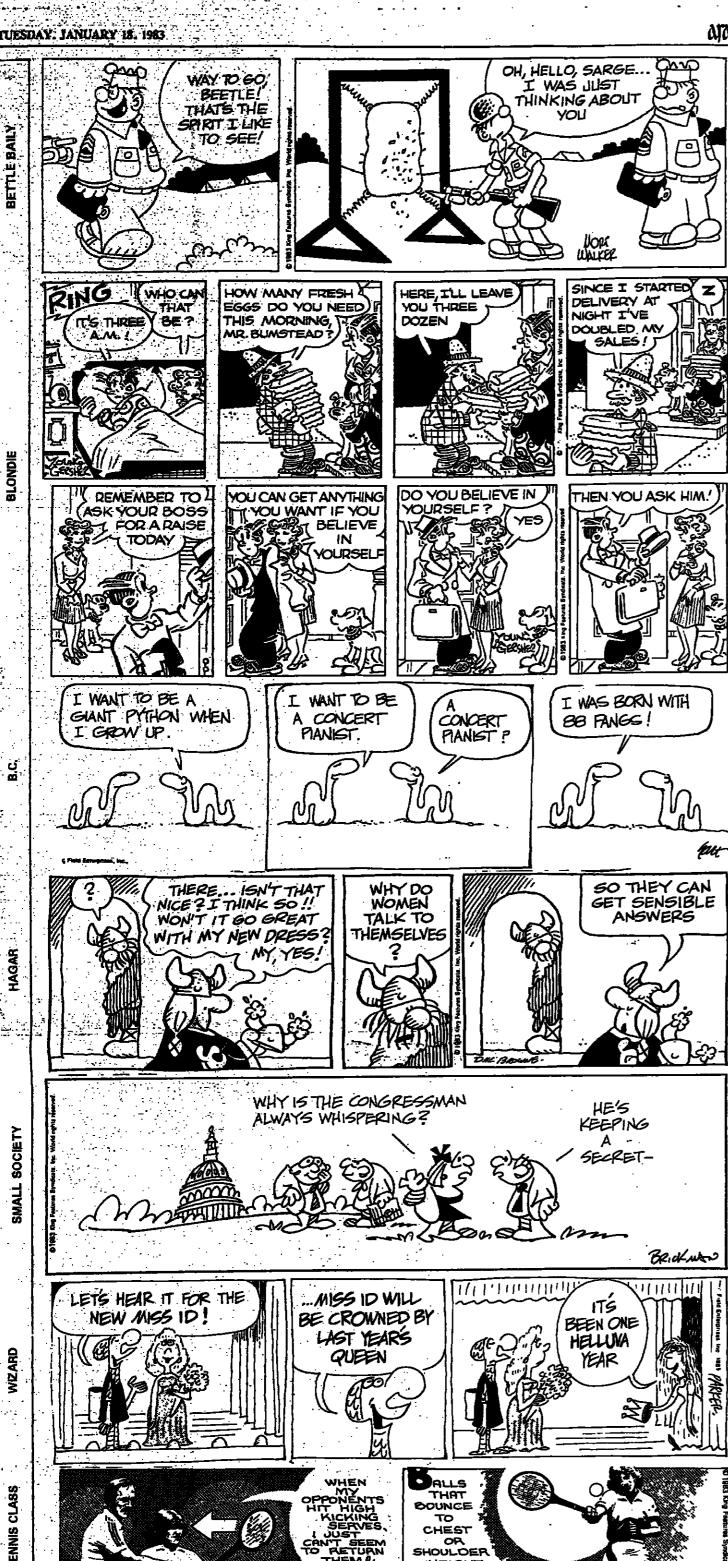


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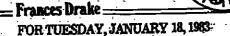
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(Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) This is no time to act alone. issues.

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Take others into your confidence. Private chats with superiors will clarify basic **TAURUS** (Apr. 20 to May 20)

Meeting business associates on a social basis leads to minor career gains. Friends afar invite you to visit. Enjoy cultural interests.

(May 21 to June 20)

Work may seem trying, but keep plugging for afternoon successes. Talks related to joint security lead to beneficial decisions.

(June 21 to July 22)

You may be concerned about a child or a domestic matter. Listen to the advice of a loved one. Heart-to-heart talks bring rapport.

- 🐫 . (July 23 to Aug. 22) R You'll find a solution to a financial problem, but you must express your views. New work assignments may come now.

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VIRGO (Aug. 23 to Sept. 22) Overcome inhibitions and speak openly with a loved one. You'll find a basis for mutual understanding. You entertain at home.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) If you feel blocked on the job, you'll enjoy greater productivity by working overtime at home. Family discussions

go well. SCORPIO m A (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Difficulties with children or other loved ones will be resolved positively by day's end. Creative efforts will succeed.

SAGITTARIUS

(Nov. 22 to Dec. 21)

It's a good day for shopping for the home, since common sense makes you a shrewd bargainer. You receive notes of affection.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 19) Not everyone will agree with you, but it's still a good time to express your thoughts. Writers enjoy unusual produc-

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20 to Feb. 18) It's best to keep financial developments secret as a friend could be envious or unnecessarily skeptical. Research is favored.

PISCES X (Feb. 19 to Mar. 20) Expect some minor career gains. Attend group functions and let others know how you think. Social activities are stimulating.



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The bidding: North West East **Pass** Pass Pass 1NT 20 Dble 4 Opening lead - king of clubs.

This famous hand occurred in the 1948 European championship during the match between Norway and Great Britain, West was S.J. Simon, author of the classic "Why You Lose At Bridge," and East was the British star.

Terence Reese. Reese missed his cue, as he himself relates, but it is likely that most players would have

done the same thing.

Simon cashed the K-A of clubs — East playing high-low - and led a third club which Reese ruffed. Reese returned a heart.

The Norwegian declarer won the heart, crossed to dummy with a diamond, took a trump finesse, returned to dummy with a diamond, took a second trump finesse, and so made four spades. His only losers were two clubs and a ruff.

The same series of plays occurred at the second table, and declarer also made four spades. The deal was a Mexican stand-off, but later received wide mention because both Easts could have defeated the contract by making an extraordinary play.

East can stop the contract by discarding a diamond at trick three, instead of ruffing the third round of clubs! Declarer can then reach dummy only once, and — since he requires two trump leads from dummy to stop East from making two trump tricks - he must go down one.

The contract is easy enough to defeat on paper. But at the bridge table, where second thoughts don't count, practically every bridge player in existence (holding the East cards) would ruff the third club and then start thinking of what to do next.

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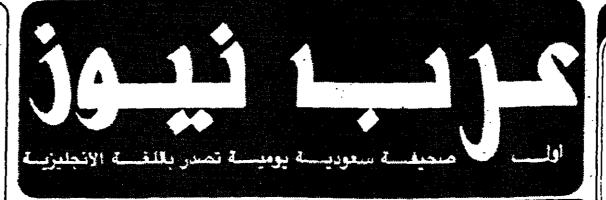


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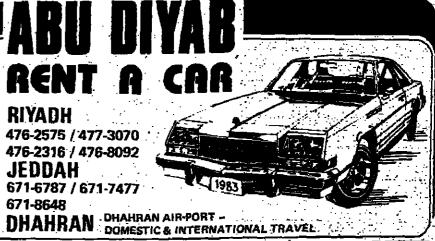
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# Japanese premier arrives in U.S.

WASHINGTON. Jan. 17 (R) - Japanese Prime Minister Yasuhiro Nakasone arrived here Monday for what are expected to be tough and frank talks with President Reagan on defense and trade issues affecting bilateral ties with the United States.

Nakasone. 64. has said repeatedly since taking office last November that he attaches great importance to relations with the United States. Japan's biggest trading partner. Last week. he made the first official trip to South Korea by a Japanese prime minister to mend fences with Japan's neighbor and former colony. The visit was seen by Washington as a step toward greater stability in the region. In another initiative ahead of the U.S. visit, his government last week adopted a new package of measures designed to open the Japanese market further to imports. He has also increased defense spending by what he called a "maximum possible" 6.5 percent in the year beginning next April, and agreed to transfer of military technology to the U.S. in a major reversal of policy.

At a press conference here last Thursday. he however, rejected calls for the immediate liberalization of imports of U.S. beef and oranges. President Reagan has said he will raise these points at talks with Nakasone Tuesday. Both leaders are under pressure from their farm lobbies and Japanese officials argue that Japan is already the biggest market

for a wide range of U.S. commodities and processed foods, "Politicians in the U.S. are concerned about their farmers and so are we about our farmers." Nakasone told a Tokyo press conference last Thursday.

Government sources here said Nakasone was likely to propose a resumption of talks on import quotas for items of major U.S. concern with a view to increasing the quotas next year. Washington's trade representative, William Brock has welcomed Japan's efforts to reduce its trade surplus with the United States, estimated at around \$20 billion last year. But U.S. officials have generally said the measures taken by Tokyo so far are insuf-

Nakasone on his part was expected to ask President Reagan to stave off protectionist moves in the U.S.. the government sources said. They said he was also expected to state Japan's readiness to cooperate in relieving the debt problems of Yugosiavia and Latin American countries.

That would be one of the gestures aimed at showing that Japan was willing to play a larger role in international affairs comensurate with its economic strength, the sources said,

Nakasone, accompanied by Foreign Minister Shintaro Abe, will also meet Secretary of State George Shultz. Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger and Treasury Secretary Donald Regan.

### 'Wins African sympathy'

### Zhao terms tour successful

PEKING. Jan. 17 (Agencies) — Chinese Prime Minister Zhao Ziyang. who Monday wound up a month-long 16-state tour of Africa, believes that "vast vistas" exist for economic and technological cooperation with countries of the continent. the New China News Agency reported.

In an interview from Nairobi. Zhao was quoted as describing his trip as "successful and fruitful". The Chinese leader left the Kenyan capital for home Monday. Zhao told the agency that "the image of China in Africa is very good." saying that the people of the continent "have always sympathized with and supported us." He said that not only were there possibilities for increased Chinese economic and technological cooperation with Africa. but "vast vistas".

"We should study and investigate well what the (African) friends need and what we can do for them." Zhao was quoted as saying. The emphasis should be placed upon "efficiency, quality and economic results." in order that "our friend: can be benefited and we can make progress as well', he told the

Zhao also said that regarding bilateral and international relations China and the African countries he had visited had a "common language on a series of issues". He cited "opposition to imperialism. colonialism and racism". "opposition to big powers' domination over small countries" and "strengthening unity among the Third World coun-

His African hosts shared his view on the need to reform "the unjust and unreasonable old economic international order" and to take "practical measures to establish a new international economic order and develop South-South cooperation", he added.

Zhao said that before his tour of Africa, the Central Committee of China's Communist Party and the Chinese government had studied the purpose of the visit which, in plain words, is understanding friendship, solidarity cooperation and learning from the African people". "It should be said that the purpose has been attained," he concluded. The prime minister's tour took him succes-

sively to Egypt. Algeria. Morocco. Guinea. Gabon, Zaire, Congo, Zambia, Zimbabwe, Tanzania and Kenya.

Zhao showed China's concern over several key Third World problems: the Middle East and Western Saharan conflicts, the Namibian issue, the crisis within the Organization of African Unity (OAU) and the prospects for a new world economic order. Africa proved a good forum for Peking diplomacy. Time and again. Zhao stressed China's message that Third World states should resolve their differences without superpower involvement.

In Egypt. Algeria and Morocco, he backed Arab peace efforts in the Middle East. China. though not yet prepared to recognize Israel.

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was ready to accept its right to exist, he said. On the Algerian-Moroccan dispute over Western Sahara, he was statesmanlike. urging peace without foreign interference.

Moving south, he reaffirmed China's support for the "front line" states facing whiteruled South Africa. predicting "a new revolutionary storm" that would eventually bury racism.

In Zambia and Zimbabwe, he met representatives of anti-South African guerrilla groups, including those backed by Moscow. During his tour, symbolically, China announced its long-delayed recognition of pro-Soviet Angola, which borders South Africaruled Namibia. But there was no sign that China would send arms to the guerrillas fighting South Africa in Namibia, as some Peking diplomats had predicted. In fact, seen from Peking, throughout his tour Zhao appeared to offer far more political support than economic aid.

The only countries known to have oenented materially from the trij Egypt, which is to receive more F-7 fighter iets. Zaire, granted delayed repayment on a \$100-million loan, and Zimbabwe, with a further \$33-million loan agreement. Reports that China would write off a \$680-million loan to Tanzania and Zambia were not con-

Repayments were due to start this month on the loan, incurred in building the strategic Tanzania-Zambia Railway, the highspot of China's aid to developing countries in the 1970s. The Chinese no longer extend aid for such prestige projects, the pragmatic post-Mao leadership believing that China must devote the bulk of its resources to its own development.

But in the past year, after a brief honeymoon with the United States. Peking has again been emphasizing its Third World political credentials. When Zhao's marathon African tour was announced, there was speculation in several countries that China was seeking to establish itself as leader and champion of the developing world.

The People's Daily vigorously contested this view last week. China is a developing socialist country and an equal member of the Third World." the Communist Party newspaper said.

"It cannot and will never try to act as the leader of the Third World or any other bloc of countries... "For more than 30 years, we have extended what economic assistance we can to friendly Third World countries without any political strings attached.

If that is so, what prompted Zhao's trip? Diplomats said the range of countries visited indicated China sought as many friends in Africa as possible, regardless of their policies. Zhao's hosts ranged from radical Algeria. Congo and Tanzania to strongly pro-Western Morocco, Zaire and Kenya.

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Tokyo International Airport for his first official visit to Washington,

kilometers per hour hit parts of upper Austria

on Sunday. The bad weather left 23 tourists.

including 16 West Germans, stranded Sun-

day night in hotels on the Dachstein Massif,

The Hotel Krippenstein was without

power or heat Sunday night, and authorities

were sending snow vehicles up the mountain

Monday to bring down 15 tourists from

Bavaria, APA said. In the Salzkammergut,

winds damaged at least three homes and scat-

tered pieces of trees across local roads. The

rail line between Bad Aussee and Obertraun

was blocked for four hours by fallen trees

Sunday, but later cleared.

the Austria press agency reported.

### Snowstorm hits northeast America, moves to Canada valleys and slopes. Winds of up to 130

NEW YORK. Jan. 17 (AP) — The north-east was digging out Monday from its first major snowstorm of the season, which shut down dozens of school systems, knocked out power to 12,000 homes and caused at least eight deaths before pushing into Canada.

Meanwhile, chilly weather in Florida led to frost warnings for that state's central citrus belt. The northeast storm, which swept into the region Saturday and tapered off Sunday. dumped up to 2 feet (.6 ms) of snow from Northern Pennsylvania to Maine.

By late Sunday, the storm was pushing eastward out of northern Maine into New Brunswick, the weather service said. The storm caused five deaths in Connecticut, two in Massachusetts and one in Pennsylvania. Four of the Connecticut deaths were from heart attacks suffered by people shoveling snow Sunday, officials said. A fifth died in a traffic accident.

In Boston, a man drowned Sunday when he was swept from a sea wall by a 30-foot (9 m) wave wnipped by northeasterly winds g to 45 mph (72 kph). A second man died in a traffic accident. A woman was killed Sunday after her car slid off a snow-slicked road in Slatington, in northeastern Pennsylvania. High winds and tree limbs snapping under heavy snow broke power lines, blacking out 4,200 customers in Rhode Island and nearly 8,000 in Connecticut at times, utility officials

Elsewhere in Europe, Austrian authorities warned of acute avalanche danger Monday after heavy snowfalls and high winds lashed much of Austria. One man was reported killed while trying to clear fallen trees from a rail

Fifty to 75 centimeters of snow fell in the Kitzbuehel area, and snowfall elsewhere was reported at 30-40 centimeters.

The Tirol avalanche warning service said motorists and skiers should beware of steep

### Burma to stay away from Delhi summit

RANGOON, Jan. 17 (AFP) - Burma, the only country to have withdrawn from the 97-nation nonaligned movement, will stay away from the group's summit in New Delhi in March despite efforts to bring it back to the fold, authoritative sources here said. The sources said Burma had no intention for the time being of rejoining the movement, which

it left at the last summit in Havana in 1979. Diplomats here said Burma had even spurned an invitation from host India that it send a press delegation to observe the fiveday summit which begins March 7. Burma, with India and Yugoslavia, was a founder of the movement and was among the countries at the first nonaligned summn in Belgrade in

Disenchanted with what it considered a trend away from the grouping's original aims. it quit the Havana summit, the movement's sixth, charging that certain nations were trying to tilt it toward power blocs "seeking to gain their own grand designs." "We cannot allow ourselves to be exploited in this manner," a Burmese delegale told the Havana session.

The delegate went on to call for the creation of a new movement. This, he said, should be based on a charter which would "clearly define the inviolable principles to which all members should be dedicated, the qualifications and code of conduct for membership and the consequence of its violations, the functions and powers of the principal organs

of the movement and the procedures." The failure of the Havana summit to respond to this call led to Burma's exit. Since then, periodic efforts have been made collectively and from single nations, according to diplomats, to bring Burma back into the line-up, but to no avail.

# China awaiting British proposal on Hong Kong

HONG KONG. Jan. 17 (AFP) - China is still awaiting a British reply to its proposals on Hong Kong's future after Peking regains sovereignty of a large part of the colony in 1997, *The Hong Kong Standard* said here Monday, quoting the leader of a Hong Kong delegation visiting Peking.

Meanwhile, The South China Morning Post reported that the leader of the delegation from Hong Kong's civic body, Heung Yee Lau, said Chinese officials had revealed the existence of a plan for home rule in Hong Kong after 1997. The British mandate in the new territories, which cover most of Hong Kong's area, expires that year. Chinese officials are also concerned

about the viability of the Hong Kong economy if the British connection is severed." The South China Morning Post reported. It was referring to statements made by Lau, who met Liao Chenzhi, vice chairman of China's National People's Congress.

Liao was hosting a banquet in Peking Sunday for the delegation from Heung Yec, the rural council for the new territories. Lau quoted Liao as saying that the Chinese gov-

Chinese propsoals. He did not elaborate on details of the proposals, The Hong Kong Stan dard reported. Lau said the Chinese government was still studying the possibility of "Hong Kong Chin-

ese ruling Hong Kong" after 1997 but "a lot

of issues have to be examined in detail before a decision is reached." Lau said he felt the Chinese had now adopted a more flexible attitude in handling the Hong Kong problem and that he would convey the views of the Chinese to the British government after his return to Hong Kong. Meanwhile, British member of parliament Wrigglerworth, the vice chairman of the

Anglo-Hong Kong Parliamentary Group, was attacked by leftist papers here Monday for saying Saturday that only a continued British presence after 1997 could ensure Hong Kong's stability and prosperity.

Lau said Liso remarked that Chinese were concerned about the viability of the Hong Kong's economy if the British connection were cut, and that China is considering ways to back up the Hong Kong dollar.

### Poll okays Andrew-Koo romance

LONDON, Jan. 17 (AP) - The romance between the queen's son Prince Andrew and American actress Koo Stark won overwhelming approval from ordinary Britons in an opinion poll published Monday.

Seven out of every 10 men and six out of every 10 women said it would be fine if Andrew, 22, popped the question to 26year-old Miss Stark, who as a teenager appeared in several blue movies. Last week, it was reported that Andrew, second son of Queen Elizabeth II and third-in-line to the throne, had given Miss Stark the naval identity tag he wore as a helicopter pilot in the Falklands War last year.

The prince is due to rejoin the aircraft carrier HMS Invincible at the end of this month for a 12-week overseas tour of duty. The poll of 525 persons, carried out for the tabloid Sun by audience selection, found the most support for the prince's headline-making fiaison among the 15-34 age group. Nine out of 10 young persons approved of Andrew marrying Koo. Only 52 percent of those aged

55 and over approved. Those polled said they doubted whether Miss Stark would make as good a princess as

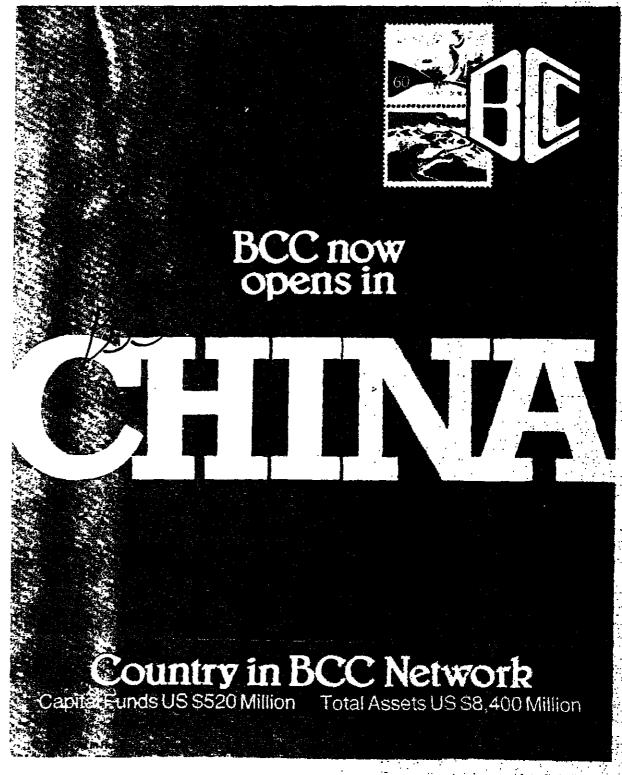
Prince Charles wife, Princess Diana, an earl's daughter. Only 37 percent believed Koo would be good at royal duties. China offers Russia

# plan on Cambodia

WASHINGTON. Jan. 17 (AFP) - China has offered the Soviet Union a plan for a gradual resolution of the situation in Cambodia the Washington Past said Monday quoting diplomatic sources.

The paper said that U.S. officials had been informed of the plan, which was presented to the Soviet deputy minister for foreign affairs. Leonid llywchev, in Peking last October. It was believed here that the plan

envisaged a complete withdrawal of Vietnamese forces from Cambodia within an unspecified "reasonable period of time" in exchange for the gradual improvement of Sint-Vietnamese relations. The Post said:





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